

## MAY IDENTIFY MAN WHO CAUSED PANIC

Attorney for Miners Has Witnesses Who Claim They Can Identify the Miscreant

## THREE SAY THEY SAW BUTTON

Man Who Cried Fire Was Seen In All Parts of Hall—Half a Score of Descriptions Are Given at Inquest

## TWO HAD DISCUSSED THEIR TESTIMONY

CALUMET, Mich., Dec. 30.—Positive identification of the man who started the Christmas eve catastrophe by shouting "fire" in a crowded hall here was forecast tonight by O. N. Hilton, chief of counsel for the Western Federation of Miners. Mr. Hilton asked that the coroner's inquest into the tragedy of 72 deaths be adjourned until tomorrow, stating that he desired to produce several witnesses who claimed they could identify the man.

"I shall present these witnesses only after I make sure they can do what they say," he said. "It would be terrible to implicate an innocent person in such a deed."

Again the greater part of the evidence was that the cry of fire came from within the hall. Three or thirty or more witnesses today claimed to have seen a "Citizens' Alliance" button on the man, making five of a half a hundred persons examined in two days of the inquest who made this statement. Several stated that they saw the man who cried fire, but most of them said they had seen no pin. He was seen, however, in all parts of the hall and there were half a score of descriptions of the man.

Three witnesses, Mrs. Theresa Czabo, Charles Olson and Hilda Forsten were they saw a man wearing a Citizens' Alliance button come into the door, wave his hands and cry "fire." These statements controverted the testimony yesterday of two union men who said they stood in the vestibule of the hall and that the cry came from within the place, no one wearing the insignia of union's enemies having passed them.

It also was the opposite of that given by members of the women's auxiliary of the federation in charge of the celebration, who testified that they had seen the man in parts of the hall other than the doorway.

Discussed Testimony With Others.

Mrs. Czabo and the Forsten girl admitted, under cross-examination that they had discussed their testimony with attorneys or officers of the local miners' union. Olson said he had not talked about his experience with anyone connected with the investigation.

Part of the proceedings were heard by John H. Densmore, solicitor of the department of labor, who arrived today and spent the opening hours of his task of conciliation with leaders of the union.

He was accompanied by Claude O. Taylor, president of the Michigan State Federation of Labor and the two afterwards visited union headquarters, after returning to Hancock.

Will Not Recognize Union.

Uncompromising adherence to their determination never, by direct or indirect means to recognize the Western Federation of Miners was pronounced today by mine managers of the copper strike district who were willing to discuss the visit here of John H. Densmore, solicitor of the department of labor.

The fact that Mr. Densmore had announced his mission as one of conciliation made most of the employers shake their heads dubiously.

"We could not treat with the federation even if we wished," said F. W. Denton, manager of the Copper Range Consolidation company.

The men at work never consider employment under ground with members of the union, for there would always be trouble, and in view of the fact that 10,000 men are working for the companies we cannot ignore their interests."

Opposing Claims Wide Apart.

Tomorrow will be the last day upon which the companies will receive applications for work from strikers. Originally December 1st, had been set as the limit, but at the request of business men the time was extended for a month.

Whatever good the extra thirty days might have accomplished was wiped out by the Italian aid disaster, the controversy as to who should give relief to afflicted families and the deportation of Charles H. May, president of the federation. The detailed figures obtained from both sides today found the opposing claims as wide apart as the poles.

The employees said there were less than 3,000 actual strikers left in the district but union headquarters furnished statistics showing that the weekly strike benefits are being paid to 10,420.

Both sides agreed that some 2,500 men have left the district since the trouble began July 23. The companies figured that 14,300 men were affected by the calling of the strike some 600 of these being melter or mill workers who were given at least part time employment some kind after the first few days. Today they claimed 9,640 men were

## CLINTON EDITOR SHOTS DOWN STRIKE-BREAKER

KILLING IS CULMINATION OF ALLEGED ATTACK ON MUSSEY IN PAPER

Men Engage in Fight in Which Person Is Beaten—After Being Separated Editor Fires Seven Shots Into Mussey, Who Dies Twenty Minutes Later.

DECATUR, Ill., Dec. 30.—Carl Person, editor of the Illinois Strike Bulletin, published at Clinton, this afternoon shot and killed Tony Mussey, a strike-breaker employed at the Illinois Central shops at Clinton.

The shooting was the culmination of an alleged attack on Mussey in Person's paper.

Mussey is said to have threatened the editor. They met this afternoon at the interurban station and Mussey gave Person a bad beating. The two were separated and Person moved away only to whirl around, draw his revolver and fire three times at Mussey, each shot taking effect. After Mussey had fallen Person fired four more shots into Mussey's body.

Mussey died twenty minutes after being shot. Seven steel bullets had taken effect, two passing through the body. Person who is secretary of the Illinois Central Federation, was placed in the county jail, but tonight was taken out of the city to escape mob violence. Mayor George S. Edmonson ordered all saloons closed at 4 o'clock and appointed extra police to patrol the town.

It was said that the Central shops and the sheriff's force was expecting trouble. A special grand jury will be convened Wednesday at which time, it is expected Person will be indicted and his trial called in this term of court.

## LARGE BUSINESS INTEREST ARE PLACED IN RECEIVER'S HANDS

Counsel States That None of Siegel Concerns Is Insolvent, Action Being Taken to Re-Organize Them.

New York, Dec. 30.—Two great department stores in New York and one in Boston; an express company, a wholesale house and a private banking house run in connection with the department stores allied with and controlled by the Siegel Stores Corporation, of which Henry Siegel, of this city is directing head and president, were placed in the hands of receivers today through a suit instituted by the holding company.

None of the concerns, according to statements of counsel, is insolvent; and the action was taken to conserve their good will, to rehabilitate and reorganize them. The assets and liabilities were not stated. Curtailment of bank credit made the receivership imperative. Their gross earnings heretofore have been estimated at \$40,000,000 annually.

Two firms, the similarity of whose corporate name in one case and stock ownership in the other might result in the inference that they were involved in the failure, were quick to issue statements explaining their position. The Greenhut-Siegel-Cooper company of this city, has no connection, direct or otherwise, with the firms controlled by the Siegel Stores Corporation; and in Chicago, the store of Siegel-Cooper and company, although its stock is owned by the Siegel Stores Corporation, is prospering.

## STATES STRUGGLE BETWEEN LEAGUES WILL BENEFIT PLAYERS

CHICAGO, Dec. 30.—A struggle between the Federal League and the major leagues of organized baseball will result in a general benefit for players, owners and spectators, according to B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, tonight. Johnson said the entrance of the new league if properly financed would do more to improvement of baseball than anything since the American and National league revolution.

Mr. Johnson expressed the belief that outside opposition would tend to put baseball on a sounder basis. "We have needed such a revolution for two or three years," he said. "We will see what men we have on our roster who are ready to jump to an outlaw organization. The only regrettable feature is that some parties will suffer financially. It will not be the American league though, as our forces are big."

ROOSEVELT AND PARTY WELL.

Rio Janeiro, Dec. 30.—Colonel Theodore Roosevelt arrived yesterday at Fazenda Saint Jean, on the left bank of Cuyaba river. He was received by Senor da Costa Marques. All the members of the expedition are reported to be in good health.

TWO BURNED IN FIRE.

Hydro, Okla., Dec. 30.—Joseph Harper, 16 years old was burned to death and his father, T. J. Harper a farmer was fatally burned in a fire that destroyed the Harper home near here tonight. An explosion of coal oil caused the blaze.

at work, half of the difference between the two totals having gone to other districts, thus leaving 2,339 strikers.

They made additional allowances for men who have come here from outside cities, thus raising their estimate of the actual strikers to 2,500.

## BELIEVE MAGILL WILL HEAD STATE TEACHERS

PROPOSITION TO TEACH SEX HYGIENE WILL GET LITTLE ENCOURAGEMENT

Katherine Zeiler of Dundas Wins State Wide Spelling Match—Teachers Urged to Ignore Opinion of Supreme Court Which Prohibits Reading of Bible in Schools.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 30.—That State Senator Hugh S. Magill, elected to the upper house of the Illinois general assembly while principal of the high school at Princeton, and now superintendent of Springfield's schools, will be elected president of the Illinois State Teachers' association, in annual convention here, is the opinion of many of the association's leaders tonight. Senator Magill is the choice of nearly all of the members of the nominating committee. Nomination is conceded equivalent to election.

It was the consensus of opinion among the teachers today that the proposition to teach sex hygiene in the schools would get little or no encouragement.

Approve Minimum Wage.

The resolutions adopted by the association today approve the state school tax of two mills, minimum wage, longer terms for teachers and superintendents, sanitary laws, vocational schools, transportation to consolidated schools at public expense, educational survey of the state, consideration of moral and religious questions by the teachers, use of schools for social centers, commending recent legislation and opposing the sale of cigarettes.

In the state-wide spelling match, Katherine Zeiler, Dundas, Richland county, won first honors; Agnes Gottfried, Billet, Lawrence county, second; Alice McKean, Deland, Platt county, third.

Public school teachers are urged, in a report submitted to the association today, to ignore the opinion of the Illinois supreme court which prohibits the reading of the Bible in the schools. Another test case will soon be taken to the court on findings of a committee headed by Chas. Blanchard of Wheaton, which has been making an investigation of this subject. The committee contends that the legality of the question has not been finally settled. The report of the committee expresses regret that the decision of the court has caused some teachers to suspend Bible reading in the schools, and urges them to resume it where not in conflict with local school regulations. The report also says that the Catholic church is not opposed to the reading of the Bible but that all suits are brought on by individual beliefs. The report of the committee will be placed before the association for action tomorrow.

Politics Enters Into Gathering.

Politics has entered to some extent in the gathering of the teachers. It is generally understood that present State Superintendent Francis G. Blair will be a Republican candidate for re-nomination and election. Caroline Grote, Pittsfield, has been an avowed candidate for the Democratic nomination for some time. The annual reports of Charles McIntosh, Monticello, treasurer, and G. W. Conn Jr., Woodstock secretary, were submitted today.

Governor Dunne attended the meeting today of the Parent-Teachers' section of the association, and heard teaching of sex hygiene facts, offered by Dr. W. H. Packard of the Bradley Polytechnic Institute, who thought that changed conditions and customs require changed methods of teaching. Amelia Sears of the Woman's City club, of Chicago, also spoke. This section elected: Chairman, Mrs. William B. Owen, Chicago; vice chairman, Mrs. Orville T. Bright, Chicago, secretary, Mrs. Stuart Brown, Springfield.

Complete Nominations.

The nominating committee of the Illinois State Teachers' association at midnight tonight completed the nominations, which will be reported to the association at tomorrow morning's session. They are as follows:

President—Senator Hugh S. Magill, city superintendent of schools of Springfield.

First vice president—D. Walter Potts of East St. Louis.

Second vice president—Miss Nellie Callahan of Chicago.

Third vice president—T. J. McCormick of LaSalle.

Treasurer—Charles W. McIntosh of Monticello.

Member of executive committee—G. D. Wham of Corbondale.

OFFICE FORCE SWAMPED.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—For several months Secretary of State Harry Wood has been waging a campaign against owners of automobiles who failed to procure licenses. Numerous prosecutions have resulted and the state treasury has been enriched several thousand dollars. Despite this fact, the secretary in a statement issued today declares that the rush of owners to procure licenses has literally swamped his office force, and assures owners of cars that failure to obtain licenses during the next two or three months will not make them liable to prosecution by his department.

HEADS SURGERY DEPARTMENT.

Cedar Rapids, Iowa, Dec. 30.—Dr. Charles K. Rowan, professor of surgery in Rush Medical college, Chicago, today was elected by the state board of education to succeed Dr. William J. Jepson, of Sioux City, for many years head of the department of surgery of the state university, who recently resigned.

## REBELS STEADILY GAIN ON FEDERALS

Thirty Six Hour Battle Still Continues as Darkness Falls On Ojinaga

## FEDERALS FIGHT PLUCKILY

Deserters Who Cross Border Are Promptly Disarmed and Sent Back—Wounded Are Given Assistance

## LIND LEAVES FOR PASS CHRISTIAN, MISS.

PRISIDIO, Texas, Dec. 30.—When darkness fell tonight, after thirty-six hours of desperate fighting, the battle between the forces of General Ortega's army and the remnant of the northern federal troops still continued on the hills about Ojinaga, across the river from this place. Unknown dead and wounded lay tonight under the stars, where they fell during the onslaughts of the determined constitutionalists.

Executing flank movement to the right and left, General Ortega's forces were steadily on the offensive, slowly gaining foot after foot of ground which they held tenaciously and continued their movement on the federal stronghold.

Federals Cling To Trenches.

Dazed and disorganized by the first puff of smoke from the rebel guns, the federal army clung to the trenches on the hillsides outside the town, where it had been determined they should make a last stand against the victorious troops which followed them across the desert from Chihuahua. Whipped and maimed in the first rebel onslaught, they drove their outposts to cover and despite the fact that many of their numbers deserted and attempted to escape to the American side of the river, the Huerta troops put up a plucky fight against great odds.

After weary hours of resistance, the federals at dawn rallied a little when it was disclosed that the rebel positions were none too enviable and poured a falling fire down the gentle-sloping hillsides into the straggling line of constitutionalists. The federal generals began to hope that the worst was not to be feared.

It was impossible even to approximate the number of dead and wounded although many are known to have fallen on each side. Fifteen of the federal wounded who waded the river, were allowed to remain and were cared for by the United States army physicians, but several scores un wounded federal deserters were disarmed by the United States border patrol under Major McNamee and sent back across the border. Army officers were convinced from that fact that fifteen wounded were able to make their way across the river, that the casualties had been heavy and Red Cross representatives therefore sent requests for more help and hospital supplies. They also requested permission to cross the border to attend the wounded on the battle field.

Neither Army Has Hospital Facilities.

Neither of the engaging armies is provided with hospital facilities and the wounded have been left where they fell, among the cacti and mesquite.

Although 5,000 rebels were engaged, their fire was not effective in the early hours of the engagement because of the position they occupied behind the village.

Ojinaga, a cluster of adobe buildings, stands a mile from the border at the top of high hills which line the valley through which the rebels advanced. When day dawned, Ortega's men had gained the foot of a hill three miles from the village, where the federals had planted a fort to command the approaches to the town. They advanced in open order along the hill sides and opened a spirited fire which was maintained all day and which was supported by ten machine guns which they had dragged across the desert from Chihuahua.

The federals finally withdrew with in the buildings and fortifications in the village where they operated what guns they had from behind the walls of an adobe horse corral built like a stockade.

Federals Make Gallant Stand.

A small federal force made a gallant stand in the custom house which stands on an elevation midway between the town proper and the open sandy plain. They swept a half of bullets across the plain which offers the main approach to the town and for a time held the rebel forces in check. As the day wore on, however the sputtering fire from the loopholes of the customs house gradually diminished and finally ceased entirely. When the little handful of fed-feds fired, the little handful of fed-feds, one of them hugging a bright brass bugle, deserted the building and scurried across the mile and a half which separated them from their comrades in town. Their retreat gave the federals an advantage of position.

Tonight, although the rebels appeared to have the advantage, the outcome of the final struggle was not positively defined. The federals with their eleven generals—all that is left of Huerta's military control

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## URGES ADHERENCE TO RE-ORGANIZATION PLAN

SENATOR CUMMINS SPEAKS BEFORE GRANT CLUB AT DES MOINES

Recognizes Proposed Convention as the "Means to an end and that the Changes Were the Substantial Things to be Accomplished."

DES MOINES, Iowa, Dec. 30.—Adherence to the program for the party determined upon at the recent meeting of the Republican national committee in Washington was urged by Senator Albert B. Cummins in an address before the Grant Club here tonight.

The senator declared that he had not changed his mind as to the superiority of his own plan for an extraordinary convention of the Republican party to adjust the matters of rules and representation, but he recognized that the proposed convention was "a means to an end and that the changes themselves were the substantial things to be accomplished."

He accepted the action of the national committee as "fair fulfillment of the demand for re-organization." With reference to the third party movement, Senator Cummins said he could not concur in the conclusion that true "progressivism" necessitated the formation of that party.

"While the Republican party is now suffering the consequences of its extreme and overwhelming defeat," he said, "to me there has never been a day in its career so bright with hopes as the day just closed. When it returns to power, as I confidently believe it will in the near future, it cannot be otherwise than true to the mission it was born to fulfill. Now and then it may linger along the road, because the voters themselves become indifferent or apathetic. Now and then it will make a mistake, because its leaders are false to the trust which they have undertaken to execute; but so long as the great body of its membership is alive to the duties and responsibilities of American citizenship, so long it will give the people of the United States the most progressive, the most just, the most helpful government of which mankind is capable."

## RECEIVERS OF FRISCO AND OPERATORS REACH AGREEMENT

Details of Settlement Will Be Given Out When Terms Are Formally Drawn Up.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 30.—A strike of telegraphers on the St. Louis & San Francisco railroad was averted late this afternoon when the receivers reached an agreement with the grievance committee of the Order of Railway Telegraphers.

The receivers tonight refused to give out the details of the settlement until they were formally drawn up. This work is expected to be completed tomorrow. It was announced that concessions had been made by both sides.

The settlement was affected late this afternoon at a conference between W. T. Tyler, general manager of the Frisco, and the grievance committee of the telegraphers' union. The terms of settlement agreed on were approved by the receivers.

Earlier in the day a strike appeared imminent and the morning conference adjourned without any agreement as to when negotiations should be resumed. The receivers left the way open to the grievance committee to return for further conferences if it so desired, and after a secret session, the union committee resumed negotiations with the railroad representatives.

## TESTIFIES TO HAVING PURCHASED DRUG WHICH CAUSED GIRL'S DEATH

MACON, Mo., Dec. 30.—George Critchfield, 23 years old, was the principal witness in the opening session here today of the trial of John N. Nisbeth of Beaver, Mo., who is charged with having caused the death, last June, of Merle Drinkard, a young stenographer employed by him through the administration of a drug.

Critchfield, an employee of Nisbeth, also is charged with being instrumental in causing the death of the young woman. He testified that he purchased the drug said to have been given to Miss Drinkard, declaring he made a trip to Kansas City to get it, at the request of Nisbeth.

Critchfield admitted he had kept company at times with the stenographer, but declared their relations were entirely proper.

Mrs. Gertrude Drinkard-Yoakum, mother of the dead girl watched the eager eyes the proceedings in which she soon will take part as a witness to tell of a statement her daughter is alleged to have made on her death bed.

CONTRACTOR ARRESTED.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Otto Scholz, a contractor was taken into custody tonight after Otto Schaffer, an employee, had been killed by a bullet wound in the rear of Scholz shop. Scholz told the police that Schaffer had committed suicide after having set fire to the shop five times.

## PEORIA CANOE CLUB HOUSE BURNS

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 30.—Fire tonight destroyed nine summer homes and the new building of the Peoria Canoe club of Upper Peoria Lake. The cause of the fire is not known.

## DUNNE AGREES ON FOUR MEMBERS OF COMMISSION

HAS NOT DECIDED ON FIFTH MAN, WHO WILL BE CHAIRMAN

J. E. Quan of Chicago Named on Railroad Board to Take Place on Utility Commission Later—Walter A. Shaw, Chicago is Name of Fourth Member.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 30.—Four of the five members of the Illinois' utilities commission created under the new act effective January 1, 1914, have been agreed upon by Governor Dunne as follows:

Richard Yates, Republican, Springfield.

Frank H. Funk, Progressive, Bloomington.

James E. Quan, Democrat, Chicago.

Walter A. Shaw, Democrat, Chicago.

Governor Dunne has decided upon the appointment of Walter Shaw of Chicago, now a member of rivers and lakes commission, as a member of public utilities commission.

The governor has not yet decided whether Fred Kern, Belleville; George W. Fithian, Newton, or some other Democrat from the southern portion of the state shall be named the fifth member and chairman of the board.

## Made to Fill Vacancy.

The appointment today of Mr. Quan to a place on the railroad and warehouse commission was made to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Orville E. Berry, of Carthage. He is later to take a place on the utility board. Immediately after his appointment, Mr. Quan was elected chairman of the railroad board. The appointment was made upon the advice of Attorney General P. J. Lucey, who is of the opinion that it is best to have the board fully organized in case the railroad and warehouse commission has to hold over to meet the contingency of having the functions of the utilities commission tied up by the injunction proceedings, which have been threatened.

Mr. Quan has been for a number of years a member of the wholesale grocery firm of W. J. Quan and Company, 224 North Michigan avenue, Chicago. He was born at Galena and when one year old his parents moved to Chicago where he has since resided. He stated today he had not asked for the appointment.

Walter A. Shaw is a member of the rivers and lakes commission, and for a number of years was attached to the department of public works of the city of Chicago as assistant engineer.

## Other Appointments.

Other appointments made by Governor Dunne today are:

C. C. Olds, Albany, member of the board of visitors Watertown State Asylum.

I. F. Forward, Gladstone, public administrator Henderson county, vice G. F. W. Froelich, term expired.

Caspar Westermeyer, Carlinville, public administrator, Macoupin county.

Quan May Be Chairman.

Governor Dunne tonight stated that James E. Quan, Chicago, would probably be named as chairman of the utilities commission.

This appointment will probably mean that George W. Fithian of Newton, will be named the fifth member of the board.

It has been understood that should Fred Kern, of Belleville, Ill., be named that he would get the chairmanship of the utilities board.

## WILL SEARCH UTAH-APEX MINE FOR RALPH LOPEZ FRIDAY

Sheriff and Deputies Still Confident Gunman Succumbed Either to Hunger or Gasses.

BINGHAM, Utah, Dec. 30.—To open the Utah-Apex mine next Friday and search for Ralph Lopez, slayer of six men, was the tentative decision reached by Sheriff Smith today. Although it is generally believed the wily gunman has escaped the sheriff and his deputies are confident he succumbed either to hunger or to the gases generated in the tunnels to asphyxiate him.

Not since December 1, when the portals were sealed up and the workings filled with poisonous fumes has any member of the posse seen or heard of the desperado. After the mine had been opened and partly searched it was said again on December 14 to make sure the outlaw was not alive to fight another underground battle such as occurred on November 29, when he killed two deputies.

Seven sheriffs and nearly 300 deputies pursued Lopez for a week through several counties before he back-tracked to Bingham on November 27, and made the mine his stronghold. At the beginning of the chase, he killed three peace officers who tried to arrest him for shooting a miner in a quarrel over a woman.

## ORDER HELD UNWARRANTED.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—The Order of the Railroad and Warehouse commission that the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy railroad install an additional train to operate between Mendota and the "Rockies," Rock Island, Davenport and St. Louis, was held to be unwarranted by Master in Chancery John Pfeiffer in his report to Judge Creighton in the Sangamon circuit court. Exceptions were filed to the report.

## DISCHARGE JURY TRYING SCHMIDT

Reports Failure to Reach Agreement After Thirty-Six Hours Deliberation

## SHOWS LITTLE INTEREST

Two Jurors Who Failed to Agree with Other Ten Are of Opinion that Prisoner Was Insane When He Killed Woman

## CRIME CONSIDERED MOST REVOLTING

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—After deliberating thirty-six hours, the jury trying the case of Hans Schmidt, the former priest of St. Joseph's church, accused of the murder of Anna Ammiller, reported about 10 o'clock tonight that it could not reach an agreement and was discharged.

The accused ex-priest heard the report of the jury without showing much interest. It was learned that two jurors who had failed to agree with the other ten were of the opinion that Schmidt was insane when he killed the woman with whose murder he is charged.

The crime for which Hans Schmidt has been on trial is considered one of the most revolting in the history of this city.

Early in September parts of a woman's body were found in the Hudson river. Schmidt was arrested a few days later and admitted that on Sept. 2, he had killed Anna Ammiller, a woman with whom he had lived. He said he acted by divine command. His trial started December 8th, and towards the last became largely a contest between the alienists for the defense and the state. Schmidt's father and sister came from Germany to assist in his defense on the grounds of insanity.

## EUROPE IS EXPERIENCING BITTEREST YEAR-END IN DECADE

Blizzards and Floods do Great Damage Inland and Gales Ravage Coasts.

Paris, Dec. 30.—France and the greater part of Europe are experiencing the bitterest year-end in a decade. Blizzards and floods have done great damage inland and gales of exceptional violence have ravaged the coasts.

In Spain and Portugal the intense cold has caused numerous deaths. In the south of France the temperature has registered some degrees below zero. Mount Vesuvius in Italy is covered with snow.

Germany is in the grip of storms and in many places, including Berlin there have been heavy falls of snow. Conditions are worse in Southern and Central France which usually are favored by mild winters. Scores of villages which ordinarily never see snow are cut off. The suffering of the poor is intense and deaths from exposure are common.

## WOMAN IS WILLING TO SELL HER HUSBAND FOR \$1000 CASH

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—"I am willing to sell my husband for \$1,000 cash," wrote Mrs. Agnes Bedell of Quincy, to Miss Mary E. Chandler in a letter which Miss Chandler made public tonight.

William Bedell, the husband, when interviewed later, is alleged to have expressed his willingness to be "sold."

The letter, after explaining that Mrs. Bedell had seen Mrs. Chandler's name in the newspapers, continued:

"I see where you need a husband to take care of your property and to be a father to your baby. My husband is a working man tired of supporting a family on small pay. I want money to open a boarding house. He will be content to sit with you and tend the baby. As for me, I'd rather have my cat."

DUNNE ADDRESSES TRAINTMEN.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—Tonight Governor Dunne addressed the legislative committee of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. He reviewed the legislation which was before the last general assembly.

## WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—For Illinois—Cloudy Wednesday, probably local snow by night; Thursday fair, moderate variable winds.

## Temperatures.

The current, maximum and minimum temperatures recorded up to 8 p. m. Tuesday were:

Jacksonville	28	30	27
Boston	36	40	24
Buffalo	32	34	28
New York	34	40	26
New Orleans	46	46	42
Chicago	27	33	25
Detroit	32	36	28
Omaha	24	26	24
St. Paul	26	28	20
Helena	20	24	13
San Francisco	58	60	50
Winnipeg	6	20	10



1914

As the Old Year limps out and the Young Year comes skipping in, we stop for a while and consider many things. Foremost among the thoughts and sentiments which come trooping into our minds is a feeling of gratitude toward those good friends whose courteous spirit and patronage have been our greatest inspiration.

To them we hope the New Year will bring rich gifts of Happiness and Success.

**Schram**  
JEWELER

**Mother Uses**  
"Cainson Flour"  
(Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.)  
For those delicious  
Roll and Bread--  
Your bakings cannot  
help but be good with  
"Cainson Flour"

**The Season's Greetings**  
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**Coover & Shreve**

We Desire to Thank You for Liberal Patronage During the Year and Inform You that

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**SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY**  
**SALE**

Will be continued until January 1st, 1914, because of appreciation shown in the first three days of the sale

**East and West Sides Square**

**Shoes for Winter Wear.**

Our extensive stock of Shoes includes grades and weights especially suited to winter wear. The weather clerk tells us that cold days are coming. Better prepare for them with warm footwear.

**James McGinnis & Co.**  
The Shoe Dealers

**SOCIAL EVENTS.**

This evening at the Peacock Inn the Kangaroo club will have a dance and card party from eight p. m. to one a. m.

Mrs. John Robertson of 1033 W. Lafayette avenue gave a family dinner Tuesday in honor of her daughter, Mrs. Preston R. Smith of Buffalo, N. Y. The dinner was served at 12 o'clock and the afternoon was spent in a pleasant social manner. Among the relatives present were Col. and Mrs. John R. Robertson and family and Mrs. Julia E. Pierson of this city and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Eldred and daughter Jennie, Mr. and Mrs. Elton A. Eldred and Mrs. Alton E. Wilson all of Carrollton.

The Pleasant Hour Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Herman Weber, 1524 South Main street. Following a short business session at which Mrs. Mae Stice was made a member of the club, a program of vocal and instrumental musical selections, recitations and readings was given by Miss Dorothy Weber, Miss Mardelle McDougall, Miss Helen Harney and Mrs. Carl Weber. Daily refreshments were served. Among the guests from away, Mrs. Webb Kirkpatrick of Lafayette, Ind., who has been visiting friends in Jacksonville.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mrs. James Cridland, 646 South Diamond street.

Mrs. M. E. Keplinger gave a sewing Tuesday afternoon at her home in Franklin to the young ladies of her Sunday school class of the Methodist church. Games, music and refreshments were features of the afternoon's entertainment as well as a number of interesting contests. Mrs. Minnie Leadill was the winner of the button-hole contest and Miss Irma Berryman and Miss Lucile Olinger won first honors in a test of ability to remember dates.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis, east of the city, entertained a number of their friends at a Christmas supper, Christmas day. A large tree, laden with many gifts and beautifully decorated was a feature of the occasion. The evening was spent in a social way during which time Mrs. Sooy gave a number of delightful readings. The following were among those present: Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Rawlings, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Tendick, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold, Mrs. Stokisler of Roodhouse; Miss Minnie Sooy of Murrayville; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lewis, of this city; Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Mittenfior.

Mrs. Sarah Wyatt of Franklin gave a 6 o'clock dinner Tuesday evening to a number of friends in honor of C. E. Darling, who expects to leave Monday for a three months visit through Alabama and Florida. Christmas decorations prevailed throughout the house, and the table was decorated with cut flowers. A splendid course dinner was served and the evening was spent socially and listened to piano-player music. Among the guests present were Mrs. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. G. Wyatt, Mr. and Mrs. N. Z. Reinbach and daughter, Vivian and Gloria, Mrs. J. S. Miller and little daughter Virginia Maile of Chicago, Mrs. Ollie Mayfield, Miss Dorothy Sargent, W. C. Geer, Grover Grimsley and Marvin C. Roberts.

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**YATESVILLE.**

Mr. Charles Ausmus and wife of Sinclair visited Mrs. Stevens Bingham's Sunday.

Mrs. Coshin of Prentice and family visited your correspondent Sunday.

George Hubbs of Ashland visited over Sunday with his Aunt Dora Green of this place.

Rev. Mr. Carnell of Lebanon, O., filled his appointment here at this church Saturday and Sunday.

Several from here attended the entertainment and oyster supper at Litterberry Christmas eve and all claim it was certainly fine.

Charley Yancy returned to Bloomington Saturday after spending Christmas with his parents here.

**DURBIN.**

Mr. and Mrs. William Rees entertained a small company at dinner Sunday in honor of the birthday of their daughter, Mrs. Ruby Bearup, of Franklin. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Harmon, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bearup, Misses Irene and Vella Oxley and Frank Wilson. Miss Katie LaVelle has been spending a few days with Mrs. S. Darley.

Ed Kitzer of Murrayville, spent Christmas with friends here.

Edward Tomlinson, John Martin and Roy Sorrells of Jacksonville are visiting Dawson Darley.

Al Ebrey of Jacksonville is spending a few days with relatives here.

**WAS WELL ATTENDED**

The Christmas cantata at the Christian church Sunday night was among the most successful and best appreciated events of the holiday season. The church was filled to capacity and the audience was well pleased with the choir's rendition of Ashford's "Holy Night" and with the work of J. Phillip Read as director. Assisting the choir as soloists were Mrs. Abe Wehl, Albert Strasser, Miss Mabel Mathews and Marcus Robinson.

**YOUNG LADIES CLUB**  
**HOLDS ALL DAY MEETING**

The G. T. S. Organization of the Ebenezer Neighborhood Spends Delightful Time at Home of Misses Sargent—Members of Club and Officers.

Nearly a year ago a club was organized in the Ebenezer neighborhood known as the G. T. S. club, its members consisting of young ladies and young married ladies. Every two weeks the club has been holding meetings at the homes of the different members. The purpose of the club is for doing fancy work and also for the social element. Tuesday an all day meeting was held at the home of Misses Helen and May Sargent, four miles west of the city. The house was decorated in the club colors, green and white and the club flower, the white rose. At the noon hour a fine three course luncheon was served and the afternoon was spent in sewing and in a delightful social manner. Each guest were given an agreeable surprise in the way of a gift from Miss Henrietta Clark. The gifts were silkenets made from shells from California. It is needless to say that Miss Clark was highly praised for her remembrances.

It was decided at the meeting that hereafter the club would observe their annual meetings with some special program and the gathering of yesterday might well have been called the first anniversary of the club. The club boast very much of their youngest honorary member, Thomas Donald Blinzing, aged 4 months, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blinzing. The following are the members of the society, Mrs. Henry Blinzing, Mrs. Lewis Watt, Misses Henrietta Clark, Mae Paschall, Myrtle Paschall, Helen Sargent, Mary Sargent, Ethel Thomson, Margaret Wolfe, Norma Perdue, Lois Paschall. The following are officers of the club:

President—Mae Paschall.  
Vice-president—Mrs. Lewis Watt.  
Secretary—Ethel Thomson.  
Assistant Secretary—Myrtle Paschall.  
Pages—Margaret Wolfe and May Sargent.  
Reporter—Helen Sargent.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES.**  
**LEDGERS.**  
**JOURNALS.**  
**DAY BOOKS.**  
**BARGAIN BOOK STORE.**

**URANIA LODGE ROLL**  
**CALL JANUARY 5.**

At the regular meeting of Urania lodge No. 243 I. O. O. F. Monday evening, plans were perfected for their 14th annual roll call, which will be held in the lodge rooms on West State street Monday evening, January 5, 1914. This is an event which is looked forward to with much pleasure by the members of the organization and an enjoyable time is expected. The committee consists of Herman Weber, J. K. Long, and C. E. Seymour and they have arranged for refreshments and a general good time. Monday night a class of nine took the third degree and in January 26, a class of 25 will become members of 243, at which time Grand Master of Illinois, Warren C. Darnell will be the guest of honor. E. E. Henderson, the captain of the degree staff has the men in perfect order for the initiation.

**SPECIAL FOR TODAY**  
**CHERRY PIE**  
**IDEAL BAKERY, STATE ST.**

**WILL DISCUSS NEW**  
**CURRENCY LAW**

Springfield News: A meeting of the bankers in the Springfield clearing house will be held in a few days to consider the new currency law. Copies of the law were received by all of the banks yesterday and there is no question that the national banks of the city will accept its provisions within the specified limit of sixty days after its passage.

While the Springfield bankers are not willing to give an unqualified opinion on the new law, which they say they are now for the first time reading in its entirety, the general impression among them is favorable. They say that some measure was desirable to relieve the stringency of the financial situation which was becoming acute.

**JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB**  
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**ARE DECATUR RESIDENTS.**

Mary Belle Massey, a student at the Millikin university of Decatur, made a holiday visit at the home of Miss Helen Isabelle Massey on East State street. After completing her course of study at the high school in Ashland last spring, her former home, she and her mother, Mrs. George Massey, completed arrangements and moved their household goods during the summer to Decatur, where they are nicely situated at their residence on West Decatur street. The move was made in order that the daughter might take advantage of the university there and the Conservatory of music, she being an artist in musical circles, and in the various church organizations of Decatur. The pastor of the Christian church of Ashland, wife and son have moved in the residence vacated by Mrs. Massey during her absence from Ashland.

**THE BIRTH RECORD.**

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ayers of Davenport street, are the parents of a little daughter, Mr. Ayers is a conductor on the street car line.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goveia, 7 miles north of the city, a daughter, Leonarda Carolina.

**LICENSED TO WED.**

A telegram to the Journal from St. Louis yesterday stated that a marriage license had been issued there Tuesday to Charles W. Davis and Lena Mae Sample, both of Jacksonville, Ill. Neither name appears in the city directory.

**MURRAYVILLE.**

Miss Edna Ramsey returned home Tuesday from Laramore, N. D. Alfred Davenport and family of near Jacksonville spent Christmas with Mrs. Davenport's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Phillips, and family.

The Christmas entertainment at Zion M. E. church Wednesday evening was quite a success considering the bad roads. The church was beautifully decorated for the occasion. A special feature was the Christmas tree, which was heavily laden with gifts.

Reaugh Jennings left Sunday for Hanover, Ill., to finish the unexpired term of school of Miss Edna Cook.

Mrs. Maurice Seymour and daughter, Miss Stella, of Woodson, spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Sooy, and family.

Miss Sarah Jones spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Manchester.

The Sunday school boards of the M. E. church held a meeting last week and elected the following officers:

Superintendent—J. S. Wyatt.  
Assistant superintendent—J. H. Fuller.  
Secretary—Esther Osborne.  
Assistant secretary—Gladys Osborne.  
Treasurer—H. E. Millon.  
Planter—Willard Wesner.  
Charterer—Beulah Ketner.  
Librarians—J. L. Dunnaway and C. N. Wright.  
Junior superintendent—Mrs. C. S. McCollum.  
Superintendent of cradle roll—Mrs. J. H. Fuller.  
Missionary superintendent—Mrs. C. T. Daniel.  
Superintendent home department—Mrs. C. N. Wright.  
Dr. Fred Stoessiger is spending this week with home folks in Ottawa, Ill.

Mrs. James Galloway of Woodson spent Friday with her son, William Galloway, and family.

Eldridge Johnson of Peru, Ind., spent the latter part of last week with friends here.

A new train will be put on the Air Line Jan. 4, leaving here for Springfield at 6:40 a. m. and returning at 8:20 p. m.

Rev. E. B. Houch of Jacksonville preached in the M. E. church Sunday morning. He was accompanied by his daughter, Miss Opal.

Charles Smith and family of Manchester spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. H. B. Rimbey and Miss Minnie Taylor enjoyed a visit Sunday from their sister, Mrs. Hopper and daughters of Jacksonville.

The members of the Presbyterian church will give a home talent play in Carlson's hall Thursday, Jan. 1st. Mrs. Clyde Moffet of Springfield is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Boruff, and family.

J. T. Neal has almost recovered from the fall which he recently had. Carl Rousey and Clarence Phillips of Canton are home for a month's vacation.

Miss Edna Ramsey spent Saturday with her brother, Thomas, in Peoria.

**WOMAN'S COUNTRY CLUB**  
**MEETS WITH MRS. SCOTT.**

The Woman's Country Club of Orleans met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Will Scott, enjoyed an excellent literary program and elected officers. After the program and business an elaborate dinner was served. The officers elected were Mrs. Ralney of Orleans, president; Mrs. E. M. Tyndall, secretary; Mrs. J. W. Arnold, treasurer and Mrs. Will Scott, vice-president.

The attendance was good despite the bad condition of the roads. An excellent paper on the home of Shakespeare was read by Mrs. Catherine Magill and an able essay entitled "England as a World Power" was read by Mrs. W. H. Hinrichsen. Response to the roll call was made with gems from Shakespeare. After the program the ladies sat down to a repast which did great credit to the ability of the hostess. The menu included a great variety of toothsome dishes among which were roast turkey with dressing and gravy and cream sauce, bread and butter sandwiches, Waldorf salad and plum pudding. The suggestive of Christmas with holly and poinsettias and no pains were spared by the hostess to make the event a success in every way.

**YOUNGBLOOD PRAIRIE.**

Everett Edwards and family of Jerseyville visited here this week.

Ralph Alexander of Murrayville visited his cousin, Guy Alexander, Sunday.

John Kelley and family spent Sunday with J. A. Morris and family.

Robert Alexander, Sr., who has been very sick with pneumonia, is on the way to recovery.

Mrs. H. H. McCann is ill with pneumonia.

John Dodd, who went to Kansas recently to look for a location, returned home Sunday.

Work on Gus McNeely's new barn is progressing finely.

C. F. Story is building a barn for Charles Holmes of Hartland.

Mrs. Alice McLaughlin is enjoying the holidays with Jacksonville relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fanning are visiting relatives here during the holidays.

**FUNERAL NOTICE.**

Funeral services for Henry Frisby will be held at the late residence, 636 South Fayette street, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Jacksonville cemetery.

**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.**

H. E. Jolly to John A. Rhea, lands in 16-15-8, \$4200.  
John A. Rhea to Henry Jolly, land in 2-13-8, \$2300.

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**CITY AND COUNTY**

Mrs. T. Burns of Murrayville is visiting city friends.  
John Homan has returned from a visit with friends in Decatur.  
J. W. Clary has returned from a business trip to Springfield.  
Mrs. W. W. Harkback has gone to Chapin for a visit with friends.  
John Martin of Litchberry was among the city visitors Tuesday.  
Henry Shaw was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday from Concord.  
R. R. Covington of Manchester was a visitor in the city Tuesday.  
Samuel Zachary of Orleans was in the city yesterday on business.  
J. K. C. Pierson returned yesterday from a business trip to Havana.  
E. Barrows of Pisgah was a business caller in the city yesterday.  
Clifford Smith of Woodson was calling on city merchants yesterday.  
Miss Marie Wiswell has returned from a visit in the Pisgah neighborhood.  
Newton Gish of Litchberry was among the Tuesday visitors in the city.  
Mrs. W. C. Pearce was a visitor in the city yesterday from Manchester.  
Dr. Lightle of Tallula was a professional visitor in the city yesterday.  
J. W. Gibson of Murrayville was a business visitor in the city Tuesday.  
George Naulty of Prentice was a Tuesday business caller in Jacksonville.  
Charles Dean of Manchester was among the visitors in the city yesterday.  
Misses Marguerite Graubner has returned to her school duties in Chicago.  
Mrs. John Lonergan of Murrayville was one of the city shoppers yesterday.  
Miss Olive Burnett of Waverly was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.  
Miss Susan Kennedy of 614 North Church street is ill with symptoms of pneumonia.  
Miss Mary Ann Smith was a visitor in the city yesterday from Roodhouse.  
Thomas Langdon was among the Murrayville visitors in Jacksonville yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Cherry are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl Fountain of Chapin.  
Oliver Beadles of Murrayville was transacting business in the city yesterday.

H. C. Abbott of Quincy was a visitor with city people yesterday.  
Deputy Sheriff Todd has returned from a brief business trip to Chillicothe, Mo.  
Miss Jessie Richardson of Riggs-ton was visiting with friends in the city yesterday.  
Lee Rexroat, a prominent young man of Concord precinct, was in the city yesterday.  
Edward F. Seymour of Franklin was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seymour were among the Murrayville visitors in the city Tuesday.  
Miss Helen Branstetter has gone to California to remain during the rest of the winter.  
Mrs. J. Thievaght and children, residents of Arenzville, were arrivals in the city yesterday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Grady spent Sunday and Monday with friends in Springfield.  
Miss Mary Frank has returned to the city after a short visit with friends in New Berlin.  
Miss Jessie Mangrum of Griggsville is in the city spending a few days with Miss Viola Duncan.  
Miss Clara Metzger has returned to her home in Pana after a visit with friends in the city.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Huss of Beardstown were among the Tuesday visitors in the city.  
Edward Carrigan of the Buckhorn neighborhood was among the visitors in the city yesterday.  
Henry Schall of the Ebenezer neighborhood was transacting business in the city yesterday.  
F. Clark Walbaum and F. C. Walbaum of Ashland were among the visitors in the city Tuesday.  
Prof. P. F. Whisler of Illinois college is attending the State Teachers' convention at Springfield.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Seymour of Murrayville were among the visitors in the city yesterday.  
Miss Alice Winters of Murrayville was among the shoppers with Jacksonville business men yesterday.  
John Snyder of Alexander and C. S. Patterson of this city have returned from a visit in East St. Louis.  
W. M. Hodgson has returned to his home in Rock Island after a holiday visit with relatives in the city.  
Mrs. Fred Tilley of Tower Hill, Shelby county, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. F. Gaddis on Franklin street.  
Miss Carrie and Alma Macknest have returned from a visit with Misses Edith and Edna Heineke of Springfield.  
Miss Lucile Knox returned to her home in Manchester yesterday morning after attending the concert at the opera house Monday night.  
Miss Ida Venner, superintendent at Passavant hospital and Miss Edith Straight, a nurse, were professional visitors to Roodhouse yesterday.  
Mrs. J. Herman and sister, Miss Lillian Rosenthal expected to arrive home this morning from Chicago where they went to attend the wedding of a niece.  
Miss Ella Goldsmith, a teacher in the Chicago public schools has returned to her home after a visit with Mrs. W. B. Rogers and other relatives here.  
Mrs. John Boruff of Murrayville and Mrs. Clyde Boruff of Springfield are in the city visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Boruff and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vaughn.  
Wiley Lin Hurie of Russellville, Arkansas, was a visitor in the city yesterday. He is a graduate of Illinois college with the class of 1906, his old home being at Petersburg.  
Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Thompson and children have returned to their home in Chambersburg after spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Burdick of Sandusky street.  
Mr. and Mrs. Wargen Vieira of Indianapolis, Ind., who were called here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Edward Miller, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitmore.  
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Covington, who were recently married in this city and who have been visiting with relatives here and in Murrayville have gone to Washington, D. C., where they will make their home.  
Miss Georgia Lutkemeyer expects to start today for her duties in the library at Madison, Wis. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Lutkemeyer will accompany her as far as Sterling and remain there for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Mathews.  
Mrs. O. H. Jones received a box of beautiful and delicious fruit from her son who is in Marysville, Cal. The box contained oranges and lemons tastily arranged with leaves and twigs and looked very nice. The sender said he picked a part of the fruit from the trees and took pains to see that his invalid mother had the best.

**EXPRESS COMPANIES DIFFER  
IN VIEWS ON LIQUOR LAW**

Wells Fargo It Is Said Will Accept  
No Shipments What'ever—National  
Is to Test Measure in Courts.

Although J. H. Jackson, agent for the Wells Fargo Express Company is not yet ready to make any statement with reference to the matter, it is understood that the management of the company has decided to accept no shipments of liquor into Jacksonville after the new city ordinance against liquor shipments becomes effective. This order if issued will be more drastic than that sent by the Adams Express Company to D. W. Osburn and other local agents. This order specified that no shipments would be received for Jacksonville from points within the state. The Wells Fargo order, it is said, bars shipments from points inside the state and without as well.  
Meanwhile Agent Goodrick of the National Express Company has instructions to ignore the law as the legal department of the company has declared that the measure will not stand in court. Undoubtedly a test case will be made shortly after the law goes into effect January 9 and action will be brought against the National Company. No announcements have been made as to what the railroads will do about freight shipments although all of the local agents of the companies have sent notification of the law to headquarters.

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**R. H. PECK IS HONORED.**  
W. C. Springgate, principal of Brown's Business College was notified by wire last night that R. H. Peck who with H. E. Read has the joint superintendency of all the Brown Business Colleges, was yesterday elected to the presidency of the National Commercial Teachers' Federation at the annual convention in Chicago. The honor of serving as the head official of this large and important organization is one which Mr. Peck fully deserves. During recent years his work and record have been such as to attract the notice of commercial educators the country over.

**OFFICE SUPPLIES.  
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**A PLEASANT SURPRISE.**  
Monday evening Mrs. William Thompson residing on East State street managed and carried out successfully a surprise party for her son John who is visiting her from St. Louis. At the proper time the guests assembled and were ushered in much to the astonishment of the bewildered young gentleman who soon took in the situation and proceeded to make all the guests feel at home and have as good a time as possible. The hours of the evening were pleasantly passed in games, music, social converse and various refreshments were a prominent feature of the program.  
All had a fine time and went away much pleased with the occasion.

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**TO SCARE TRAMPS AWAY.**  
It is an acknowledged fact that there are more tramps going through the country now than has been true before for many months. One Jacksonville housekeeper who has been troubled by many visitors of this kind is said to have hit upon an effective scheme for keeping them away. On the back porch of her residence a red sign now confronts all who call and it reads, "Small Pox Here." Since that sign has been on display there have been no visits from tourists.

**J. B. C. CLUB MEETS WITH  
PRINCIPAL W. C. SPRINGGATE**  
The J. B. C. club held a meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Principal W. C. Springgate on South Diamond street. Reports were heard from the different committees and plans were perfected for the alumni-student reception to be held at the college, Thursday, January 15. The membership committee reported a successful campaign among alumni of Brown's for membership to the club. After the business the members present enjoyed a very pleasant social hour.

**STREET PRAYERS IN CHICAGO.**  
Chicago, Dec. 30.—Church workers and city authorities of Chicago have united in efforts to have a "decent" New Year's eve celebration in this city tomorrow night. By order of Mayor Harrison all saloons will be closed promptly an hour after midnight and no hotels or restaurants will be permitted to sell liquor after that hour. No horns, confetti or "ticklers" will be allowed in the streets. Three hundred ministers have offered to pray at the downtown street corners where the New Year celebrants are in the habit of gathering.

**TEACHERS MEET IN PITTSBURG.**  
Pittsburg, Dec. 30.—Pennsylvania school teachers, who assembled here today for the 64th annual convention, will launch a movement for higher pay and for pensions and retirement funds. Superintendent David A. Harman of Hazleton presided at the opening session. The proceedings will continue over tomorrow.

As Dec. 31st marks the  
close of our business  
year we would appreciate  
a prompt settlement  
of all accounts.

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Geo. E. Mason Horse company, Chicago. Capital stock \$5,000. Buying, selling and dealing in horses, live stock, etc. Harry McNair, Geo. E. Mason, John J. Ellsworth.

John Sprich and Sons, Belleville. Capital stock \$20,000. Deal in meats poultry, game, fish, groceries, etc. Albert Sprich, Jacob Ph. Ulbrich, August Barthel.

The Crane Manufacturing Company, manufacture and deal in hardware, fixtures, notions, etc. Galesburg. Capital stock \$5,000. Fred Peterson, Carl Crane and Carrie Blessing.

No-Sag Gate Company, Galesburg. \$50,000; manufacturing and constructing farm, railroad and stock yard gates, etc. Incorporators, Fred Peterson, Carl Crane and Carrie Blessing.

Seidel Clothing company, Waukegan. \$20,000; manufacturing and dealing in clothing apparel, millinery, boots, shoes, etc. Incorporators, F. C. Seidel, Homer Cooke and J. D. Pope.

Suburban Utilities company, Chicago. \$10,000; own, lease, acquire or construct plant or plants for distributing and delivering water for public and private use. Incorporators, John T. Shay, Victor C. Sanborn and John W. Alvord.

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"THE DOUBLE CHASE"—A fine comedy presented by Lubin.  
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**TODAY'S SPECIAL FEATURE.**  
"THE CHIEF MESSAGE"—A fine and interesting detective drama with Miss Kent playing the leading role. A Self feature in 2 parts.

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Do you know that W. D. Cody sells the best and highest quality flour in Jacksonville and that the name of that flour is

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To prove this statement we point to the record made at the state fair baking contest in Springfield. The winners in this bread show were:

First Prize (sweepstakes) Mrs. A. A. Johnson, 1313 South 10th St., Springfield.

Second Prize (sweepstakes) Mrs. C. H. ones, 114 Bond ave., Springfield. Zephyr flour thus won both first and second prizes over bread from twenty other brands of flour. The loaves displayed were baked from twenty-two brands in addition to Zephyr, some of the best known and most advertised brands on the market today like Seal of Minnesota, Gold Medal, Pillsbury, Ceresota, Occident, Aristos and Snow White. It was easily shown that Zephyr flour had no equal among them.

Why not pay cash and get the highest quality flour here at a saving of 25 cents to 45 cents per sack.

**W. D. CODY**

220 West Court St.

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### FORMER SECRETARY INDICTED ON CHARGE OF ATTEMPTED LARCENY

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—Thomas Hassett, former secretary to state engineer John A. Benschel and former employee of the board of water supply of New York City, was indicted today on a charge of attempted grand larceny. He is accused of having attempted to extort \$50,000 from Anthony G. Douglass, a tunnel contractor of Niagara Falls, N. Y., on false representations that he could secure for Douglass a contract for the construction of the Hudson River Siphon of the Croton aqueduct bids for which were in charge of the board of water supply. The indictment grew out of the investigation instituted by District Attorney Whitman into political graft.

### BANKS WHICH ENTER SYSTEM DO NOT NEED NEW CHARTERS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 30.—Banks which enter the federal reserve system do not need to take out new charters, but both state and national banks become members by making proper application and by becoming stockholders in federal reserve banks, according to a regulation issued tonight by the reserve bank organization committee.

In its announcement, the committee declares also that action by a board of directors is deemed sufficient to bring a bank into the new system but advises that banks which wish to be on the safe side may sound out their stockholders.

### WAS 80 YEARS OLD.

Louis Yeck, of Concord was happily surprised last Sunday, the occasion being his 80th birthday. A sumptuous dinner was served at the noon hour and the day greatly enjoyed. Among those present were John P. Yeck and family; Harry Yeck and family; Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hess and family; Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson and family; Mr. and Mrs. Valentine and family; Mrs. Mollie Bayless and family all of Concord vicinity; Homer Yeck and family; Browning; Mrs. Rose Clark and son Eugene of Chapin; Glenn Yeck, Brighton; Iva Seymour, Jacksonville, Mrs. Edmundson of Browning and William Stauff.

### LYNNVILLE.

Miss Gertrude Stainsforth who teaches at Chapin is at home for a vacation.

Miss Catherine Wilson from White Hall is visiting here. Miss Mary Ellis of White Hall is coming New Years to visit with Miss Wilson.

Mr. Wm. Gordon is confined to his bed with illness.

Miss Ozella Duckwell is in Jacksonville under the care of the doctor.

Mr. Burley Stice and Miss Ada Sutton of Winchester were married by the justice of the peace, F. J. Schofield, Sunday evening at 6:30.

The arousing contest of the Christian church Sunday school which caused much excitement and interest closed Thursday December 28 with the Reds 71 points ahead of the Blues. 176 were in attendance last Sunday and a collection of \$5.16 was taken up. On account of the interest shown in the contest and in order to keep up the good work another contest, "A Trip to Palestine," is to be held with four captains. Edwin Gordon and James Heaton on one side and Claude Jewsbury and Gale Ranson on the other side.

A series of meetings have been started at the Methodist church conducted by the pastor's father, Mr. Bracewell. Come and share the gospel with us.

Bro. Burnett's topic for next Sunday is "Unfruitful Work."

Mr. Hundley is improving nicely.

Miss Calle Dodsworth is visiting in Jacksonville.

Rev. and Mrs. Bert Doan and children of Armstrong, Ill., spent Christmas at the home of Mrs. Doan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Gordon.

Rev. Doan performed the wedding ceremony of Barry Heaton and Mable Gordon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ranson and Mrs. Catherine Wilson visited at the home of C. H. Gibbs Sunday.

### POLICE SEARCH FOR RADIUM.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—The police today were asked to search for radium valued at \$4,500 which disappeared from a hospital during the treatment of a woman patient.

A tube containing 35 milligrammes of radium was placed in an abdominal cancerous growth December 26. When the wound was examined today the radium had disappeared.

### GILMORE IN NEW YORK.

New York, Dec. 30.—J. A. Gilmore, president of the Federal League arrived here today. Questioned as to whether his visit had a bearing on the organization of a Federal club in this city, Mr. Gilmore said he was not ready to discuss the matter but probably would have several important announcements to make tomorrow.

### LANDSLIDES BLOCK TRAIN.

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 30.—Within a distance of twenty-two miles four landslides caused by melting snow and rain, have blocked the Western Pacific railroad in the Feather river canyon. One west bound passenger train has been caught between two of the slides 34 miles east of Orville. Two other passenger trains are stalled.

### GAVE 6 O'CLOCK DINNER.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kirk gave a 6 o'clock dinner Sunday evening at their home on Edgmont street, in honor of Mrs. Alice Gibson Moore of East St. Louis and Miss Lydia Malory of Chicago Heights, who are visiting friends in the city.

Read the Journal; 10c a week.

### CHAPIN.

E. P. Gish of Eureka, Ill., but at present attending Yale college at New Haven, Conn., was calling on friends in Chapin Monday on his way to Kansas City to attend a missionary convention.

Miss Miner of Bone Gap, Ill., a representative of Eureka college, filled the pulpit at the Christian church both morning and evening Sunday.

Harold Woodward and wife spent Sunday in Decatur with Luther Brownlow and family.

Capt. M. H. Lamb went to Quincy Saturday for a few days' visit at the Soldiers' home.

Mrs. Lamb spent Christmas and remained over Sunday with friends near Markham.

J. F. Burnham, a brother of Fred W. Burnham, went to Springfield Sunday to hear Elder Burnham's farewell sermon at the First Christian church. Elder Burnham left Monday night for Los Angeles, Cal.

J. P. Griffin and wife and Jeff Dockett and wife spent Christmas with S. T. Paschall near Markham.

A. Z. Fox and family, formerly residents of Chapin, but now living at Gibson City, are spending the holidays with friends and relatives in Chapin.

Mellie Anderson of Jacksonville spent Sunday with home folks in Chapin.

Larry Griffin, wife and daughter spent the holidays with the daughter at Barry, Ill.

A reunion dinner of the Burnham family was held at the home of J. F. Burnham.

W. Woodward and wife took Christmas dinner with W. W. Anderson and wife.

The annual meeting of the Church of Christ of Chapin will be held Jan. 1, 1914. The following will be the program:

Morning.  
10:30—Piano solo, Helene Markham.

10:35—Devotional service, H. C. Anderson.

11—Roll call, W. N. Abbott, clerk.

11:20—Sermon, Eld. J. W. Porter, Carthage, Ill.

12—Basket dinner and social period.

Afternoon.  
2—Piano solo, Ruth Hatches.

2:05—Reports. The pastor, Chas. Hougham, minister. Finances, W. Woodward, secretary. C. W. B. M., Mrs. T. H. Stonee, president. Y. P. S. C. E., Mary Owings, president. Ladies' Aid, Mrs. Frank Blair. Juniors, Mrs. B. F. Couchman, superintendent. Bible school, W. Woodward.

2:55—Piano solo, Bertha Williams.

3—Election of church officers.

3:30—Greetings from former pastors.

Come and stay all day. Bring your basket. A ladies' quartet and male quartet will sing. A cordial welcome to all.

Monte Funk, Chorister.

### THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

is more than a mere safe-house for money. The many-sided personal service rendered its customers makes them feel that their business is appreciated. YOUR account invited.

### VISITED RELATIVES HERE.

Samuel Massey of Fairfield, Ia., is spending a brief Christmas vacation at the home of his sister, Miss Helen Isabelle Massey on East State street and with other friends in the city. Mr. Massey was formerly a resident of Cass county. He left for Ashland yesterday where he will make a brief visit with his son-in-law Eugene Clemons, assistant cashier of the Skiles, Rearick and Co. bank. Mrs. Clemons will be remembered as formerly Miss Louise Massey a student at the Woman's college.

### SMALL FIRE ON S. EAST.

At 8:40 Tuesday the fire department was called to the residence of Mrs. Margaret Scupham, 317 South East street, but whatever fire there was had been extinguished by the time the firemen arrived. A kitchen stove had blown up for some unknown cause and the house was filled with smoke but no damage resulted. This fire rounded out the number of times the department has been called out during the past year to an even hundred runs.

### POPE IN GOOD HEALTH.

Rome, Dec. 30.—Pope Pius X., is in excellent health despite reports which have been circulating that he is indisposed. Today the pontiff received the diplomatic corps accredited to the vatican, headed by the dean, Prince Von Schonburg-Hartenstein, the ambassador of Austria-Hungary, who presented greetings for the New Year.

### CONFESSES TO SECOND MURDER

Sacramento, Cal., Dec. 30.—Burr L. Harris, a young negro sentenced to be hanged Feb. 13th, for the murder of Mrs. Rebecca Gay a Christian Science practitioner, in Los Angeles, confessed today that he also had killed and robbed C. E. Pendell, a Los Angeles diamond broker. Pendell was slain in his office in June of this year.

### TAKES OWN LIFE.

David M. Childs, the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Childs, residing near Mason City, committed suicide Monday morning by shooting himself through the head with a 38 calibre revolver. Ill health is given as the cause.

### TO BE TESTED IN COURTS.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Legality of the ousting of four members of the board of education in order that Ella Flagg Young might be re-instated as superintendent of schools here will be tested in the courts. It was decided today when MacLay Hoyne, state's attorney, said he would sign a petition asking for leave to file an information for quo warranto proceedings.

## Boys' Flannel Shirts

We will sell our boys' Flannel Shirts  
and Waists, the \$1.50 grade now  
\$1.00, the \$1.00 kind now 75c.

ALL SIZES

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The 100 Per Cent Pure Wool Store

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A few high grade I. H. C. low down Manure Spreaders, worth \$120, now selling at the low down price of \$85, as long as they last. Something every farmer should have, and very seldom have the opportunity to buy a high grade machine like this at the price.

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Dressed Chickens.

Fine Early Ohio Eating potatoes.

3 cans corn, 25c; per dozen, 90c.

Peas per can, 10c; three for 25c.

String beans, per can, 15c; 2 for 25c.

One can Lima beans, 10c.

Evaporated peaches, 1-lb can, 15c; 2-lbs., 25c.

Prunes, 15c per pound; 2 lbs. for 25c.

Evaporated apricots, 2 lbs. 35c.

Sunkist oranges, 20c per dozen.

Large seedless grapes fruit, 5c each.

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# Double Stamps This Week

We are going to give double stamps this week on all cash purchases. Don't fail to ask for them and save them; they will spend the same money. We are the only clothing store giving S. & H. green stamps.

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### THE MODEL CASH MARKET

Particular people, who know exactly what they want in meats and seek to buy at the very lowest prices will find it to their advantage to visit this market.

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### TO ATTACK ORGANIZED BASEBALL AS A TRUST

COUNSEL FOR FEDERAL ISSUES STATEMENT.

Indicates That Action Will Be Taken in Case Any Injunctions Are Sought to Restrain Players Held Under Reserve Clause.

Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—That organized baseball will be attacked as a trust under the Sherman anti-trust law and as maintaining a blacklist in case any injunctions are sought to restrain players held under the reserve clause from playing with the Federal league, was indicated in a statement issued today by Edward E. Gates, counsel for the Federal league.

"Any baseball club that attempts to obtain an injunction," said Mr. Gates, "to restrain a player from playing in the Federal league, must come into court with clean hands. Otherwise, no matter what contract they may seek to enforce and no matter how binding on the face thereof such contract may be, the court will decline to enter into the merits of the case and dismiss the bill in equity at once."

The National commission if it goes into court will immediately be confronted with two very confusing questions: first, is the commission a trust within the meaning of the Sherman anti-trust act? And is not, in fact, a blacklist maintained?

"There is no doubt in the mind of any one, we take it, that organized baseball, as organized under the so-called national agreement, has in the past monopolized the baseball business, not only by attempting to crush competition but by tying up by contract the professional baseball clubs and players of the United States from the largest down to the smallest minor league club and that the ball player cannot play ball with any competitor whatever."

"Do the clubs operating under the national agreement maintain a blacklist? This proposition which must be presented to, and determined by the court before it will enter into a consideration of the reserve clause, which complainant will attempt to enforce in a court of equity."

In discussing the reserve clause, Mr. Gates said: "The reserve clause is a condition in the contract between the club and the player by which the club attempts to hold the player for a nominal sum of money and yet not necessarily play him on the club with which he has a contract. In other words, the clubs by means of this reserve clause can, and do, say 'we have you under reserve. We will not play you on our team this year. We will sell you to another club at a large profit and they can play you.'"

Mr. Gates declared the Federal league has been consistent in its policy not to enter into negotiations with a player who has signed a contract to play the season of 1914 with any of its rival clubs in the National, American or any minor leagues.

"We maintain," said Mr. Gates, "that the reserve clause is illegal and not binding upon players, lacks mutuality and is against public policy."

#### CHOSEN BUSINESS MANAGER.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 30.—John H. Dailey, director of public safety of this city, today closed negotiations with the Pittsburgh club of the National league to become business manager of the club. Mr. Dailey, before entering official life, was a well known newspaper man and a colleague of the late William H. Luke.

### TEN YEARS SINCE THE TERRIBLE IROQUOIS THEATRE FIRE

Catastrophe Shocked the Whole Civilized World—More Than Six Hundred People Perished.

Chicago, Dec. 30.—Ten years ago today Chicago was the scene of a fire catastrophe that shocked the whole civilized world—the burning of the new Iroquois theater, in which 652 persons, mostly women and children, lost their lives.

Today a large proportion of the city's population paused in the pursuit of their usual occupations to pay tribute to the memory of the dead. Hundreds of persons joined in the program of memorial services held at the Iroquois Memorial Emergency hospital. Similar services were held in a number of churches. In the downtown district the flags on many buildings were at half mast, silent pilgrimages were made to the various cemeteries, where wreaths were laid on the graves of the victims of the disaster.

The burning of the Iroquois theater was the most appalling disaster of its kind in the history of America, and will long be remembered by hundreds of families who lost one or more of their members in the catastrophe.

The fire originated on the stage of the theater during the matinee performance of Dec. 30, 1903, at a time when every part of the house was crowded with the usual holiday audience of women and children. The theater was practically new, having been opened only a few weeks previous to the fire. It was a playhouse of the first class and was of so-called fireproof construction. As a matter of fact the house itself suffered comparatively little damage from the fire. The official investigation showed that the great loss of life was the result of panic among the spectators.

The attraction at the theater on the fatal day was the Christmas spectacle of "Bluebeard," which had been running at the Iroquois since the opening of the theater. It was the general belief that sparks from one of the spotlights stationed in the wings of the stage ignited some of the flimsy pieces of scenery and in a few moments the blaze spread upwards toward the flies.

Some of the actors and employees tried to beat out the flames, but did not succeed and the signal was given to lower the fireproof curtain. Owing to the fact that the rope, with which the aerial ballet was manipulated, had been so fastened that it obstructed the movements of the curtain, the latter could not be lowered for some time.

When the curtain was finally released the fire had made such progress on the stage that the employees became panic stricken and opened the double door in the rear of the stage. This resulted in a terrific draft that caused the asbestos curtain to bulge out into the auditorium. In a few moments the curtain tore and fell and an immense volume of smoke and flames poured into the house.

Those on top of the pile or huddled on the orchestra floor had been emptied by the panic stricken spectators, and they were crowded through the exits as fast as they could. When the smoke and flames poured into the auditorium, sweeping the whole interior, hundreds were overcome. They fell in heaps at the exits and were suffocated by the smoke and heat.

Those on top of the pile of humanity were scorched beyond recognition. The situation was made worse by the fact that the ushers had fled at the first alarm, without stopping long enough to unlock the safety exits with which every floor was provided.

The spectators, finding the safety exits bolted and locked, were com-

pelled to seek their way out through the main entrance and lobby of the theater. This entrance immediately became jammed and hundreds perished before they could reach the open air. A few fortunate ones saved their lives by way of planks stretched from the upper floors of the theater across an alley to the buildings opposite.

The fire was soon under control. At first it was not thought that the loss of life had been great and the full extent of the disaster was not realized until firemen reached the balcony and galleries of the house, they found the dead piled up six or eight feet high.

The catastrophe plunged the entire city in mourning. The police department took charge of the removal of the hundreds of bodies, and they were taken to the various undertaking establishments and improvised morgues, where they were laid in rows on the bare floors to await identification. Many of the victims were so horribly burned that recognition was impossible. Many of the bodies were not identified until months after the disaster and some of them were never identified. The unidentified bodies were buried side by side in one of the cemeteries and on each anniversary their graves are decorated with flowers by the Iroquois Memorial society.

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#### BOB FITZSIMMONS BARRED FROM NEW YORK PRIZE RING

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—That Bob Fitzsimmons, once heavyweight champion of the world, cannot re-enter the prize ring in New York was the decision formally reached today by the New York State Athletic commission.

Fitzsimmons said he was "feeling stronger" than ever, but the commission held that he no longer possessed the stamina to stand the fast bout. From a local ring, Fitzsimmons recently challenged any member of the "white hope" class to engage him in a ten-round bout.

#### NONE OF BOSTON'S HIGH SCHOOL FOOTBALL PLAYERS BADLY HURT

BOSTON, Dec. 30.—Of the 524 high school boys of this city who played football last fall, 34 received injuries but none of these proved serious according to a report made today by superintendent of schools, F. B. Dyer. Three boys had their collar bones broken and another suffered a rib fracture. Most of the injuries consisted of sprains and bruises.

The report says that 338 boys played soccer, not one was injured.

#### FLORIDA TEACHERS IN SESSION.

Key West, Fla., Dec. 30.—Florida school teachers took possession of Key West today and will exercise control until Thursday. The occasion is the annual convention of their state association, of which Dr. J. L. Kelly of Gainesville is president. United States Senator Bryan, Dr. Knapp of the department of agriculture, and President Murphee of the University of Florida are among the scheduled speakers. At the close of the convention the teachers will take a trip to Havana.

#### CIRCUIT COURT.

Chancery.  
In the estate of John Walsh deceased a petition was filed for the appointment of a trustee and the same was granted. Daniel Bahad was appointed trustee and will give bond in the sum of \$2500.

### RAILROAD NOTES.

Local freights will mostly be annulled tomorrow on account of legal holiday.

The Jacksonville Packing company received a car load of cattle yesterday from St. Louis by the Alton.

The U. S. fisheries car was brought yesterday from Mercedosa and went over the Burlington to Centralia.

A work gang of Greeks are putting cinder ballast on the Burlington between this city and Concord.

A heavy coal train pulled a draw bar in the middle of the train as it was crossing the Wabash tracks yesterday morning and it took a long time to get things into shape. Several other trains were laid out by the accident.

T. F. Schuman, C. & A. trainmaster was up to the city yesterday from Roodhouse.

Miss Ethel Peterson, sister of the C. P. & St. L. agent, has gone to California to live with an aunt who resides there.

W. C. Gibson, head of the bridge and building department of the C. P. & St. L., was in the city yesterday.

J. A. Young of Springfield has been appointed brakeman on the

passenger train on the C. P. & St. L. road between this place and Havana and will move his family here. This is a coveted run as a man may eat all his meals and sleep at home.

Leo Wiegand, a brakeman on the Alton, is visiting home folks in this city.

At the Car Shops.  
Storekeeper Ed Brunk, is laid up with the mumps.

J. Steer, storekeeper at Springfield is here helping out with local work while Brunk is sick.

The round house is getting a general cleaning up and overhauling, while a force of men are putting on a new roof. It will be of gravel and the most improved pattern.

Engine 56 is in for minor repairs.

No. 59 occupies the place on the siding so long taken up by No. 61 while waiting for a place in the shops.

The pay car is expected down on the morning train today.

Workmen are beginning to repair or renew the roof on the blacksmith and boiler shops.

The tedious inventory is about a thing of the past and it is hoped to have it done by this evening.

A part of the force in the carpenter shop is busily at work at present.

William Crathick, boilermaker, and Fred Osterholt, helper went to

Havana to do some work on No. 51. Frank Sloan and Leo Hegerty of Springfield are assisting in the invoice.

There is a rumor that President Ramsey will soon leave the service of the company and be superseded by Mr. Hurst.

Moses Topping, foreman in the carpenter shop, spent Sunday in Peoria.

**MATTHEWS-ALDRICH.**  
New York, Dec. 30.—The marriage of Miss Maude H. Aldrich, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Aldrich, and Stanley Matthews, a son of Mr. and Mrs. Mortimer Matthews of Cincinnati, and a grandson of the late Stanley Matthews, supreme court justice and at one time United States senator from Ohio, took place in Calvary church this afternoon. The bride was attended by Miss Margaret Burroughs of London, England, as maid of honor. Shirley Morgan of Cincinnati acted as best man.

**BISHOP KELLEY'S ANNIVERSARY.**  
Savannah, Ga., Dec. 30.—Tomorrow morning Rt. Rev. Benjamin Kelley, bishop of Savannah, will celebrate pontifical mass in recognition of the 40th anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood. The bishop has received many congratulations from friends throughout the south upon the anniversary.

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1 doz. Woodford Corn	.95
Good Peas, per can	.10
1 doz. Peas	1.15
Good Tomatoes, per can	.10
3 cans Kidney Beans	.25
3 cans Mustard Sardines	.25
1 Large Can Salmon	.10
1 can Baked Beans with Tomato Sauce	.10
Sauer Kraut, per gal.	.30
Sweet, Sour and Dill Pickles in Bulk	

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## 1913 IN REVIEW

## Record of the Year's Happenings.

## MEXICAN AND BALKAN AFFAIRS

Miscellaneous Events—Games and Races—Items of Personal and Political Interest—Losses by Floods, Fire, Storms and Accidents—A Carefully Classified Summary.

## POLITICAL AND PERSONAL

## JANUARY.

- Raymond Poincare, prime minister of France, was elected president of the republic.
- The British house of lords rejected the Irish home rule bill by a vote of 326 to 63.
- The 16th amendment to the United States constitution, authorizing an income tax, was approved by Delaware, Wyoming and New Mexico. Three-fourths of the states having indorsed it, the amendment became law.
- Raymond Poincare was inaugurated president of France.

## MARCH.

- Woodrow Wilson inaugurated as the 28th president of the United States.
- The senate confirmed President Wilson's cabinet nominations as follows: State, William J. Bryan; treasury, William Gibbs McAdoo; war, Lindley Murray Garrison; justice, James Clark McReynolds; Tennessee, postmaster general, Albert Sidney Burleson; navy, Josephus Daniels; interior, Franklin Knight Lane of California; agriculture, David Franklin Houston of Missouri; commerce, William Cox Redfield of New York; labor, William Baughman of Pennsylvania.
- King Constantine ascended the throne of Greece.

## APRIL.

- President Wilson read a message before congress in joint session, reviving a custom abandoned in 1801.
- President Wilson recognized the Chinese republic.
- The Underwood tariff bill passed the house of representatives by a vote of 281 to 139.
- Gen. Mario G. Menocal was inaugurated president of Cuba.

## JUNE.

- The British house of commons passed to a second reading the home rule for Ireland bill in the face of fiery opposition.
- 50th anniversary of the reign of Emperor William of Germany celebrated by ceremonies in Berlin.

## JULY.

- President Wilson addressed the veterans at the close of the 50th anniversary reunion at Gettysburg battlefield.
- Herbert Bridges appointed poet laureate of England.
- Rebellion against the republic broke out in China, 3 provinces declaring their independence.

## AUGUST.

- New alien law, anti-Japanese, went into effect in California.
- Governor William Sulzer of New York impeached by assembly.
- 83d birthday of the Emperor Franz Joseph celebrated throughout Austria and Hungary.

## SEPTEMBER.

- Washington Gardner of Albion, Mich., elected commander in chief of the G. A. R. at Chattanooga.

## OCTOBER.

- United States senate passed the Underwood-Simmons tariff bill, 35 to 17.
- The Underwood-Simmons tariff act became law.
- Provisional President Yuan Shih Kai elected president of the Chinese republic.
- Governor William Sulzer convicted on 3 of the articles of impeachment against him.
- Governor Sulzer removed from office by the court of impeachment.

## NOVEMBER.

- Ludwig III. took the oath as king of Bavaria.
- Chinese parliament suspended for want of a quorum.
- Jessie Woodrow Wilson, 24 daughter of President Wilson, married at the White House to Francis Bowes Sayre.

## DECEMBER.

- In his annual message to congress President Wilson recommended direct balloting for presidential candidates and declared that he would pursue a waiting policy with Mexico.
- The French ministry resigned.
- The house of representatives passed a measure authorizing a volunteer army of 25,000 men subject to the orders of the president.
- The Hetch Hetchy Valley bill converting a large domain into a reservoir passed the senate.
- Nobel peace prize for 1912, valued at \$40,000, awarded to Senator Elihu Root of New York.

## FIRES

- Loss of \$2,000,000 by burning of a cold storage plant at Calgary, Alberta.
- The burning of the Dewey hotel, Omaha, caused a heavy loss of life.
- Loss of \$500,000 at Argenta, Kan., by

the burning of the Gulf Compress company's plant.

Fire at Yokohama caused a loss of \$7,500,000.

Fire destroyed the plant of the Elmira Telegram, loss \$350,000.

MAY.

Loss of \$1,000,000 by fire in the plant of the American Fertilizer company at Buffalo.

JUNE.

Fire in a business block in Springfield, Mo., caused a loss of over \$700,000.

JULY.

Fire in the plant of the Haskell & Bosker Co. company at Michigan City, Ind., caused a loss of \$1,000,000.

Fire in a clothing factory at Binghamton, N. Y., resulted in a heavy loss of life.

The Flory Manufacturing plant at Bangor, Pa., burned; loss upward of \$1,000,000.

AUGUST.

Blue Mountain House, a famous hotel in the Blue Ridge at Pen Mar, Pa., destroyed by fire; loss about \$500,000.

\$1,400,000 loss by fire in the factory district of Jersey City.

\$1,000,000 loss by fire in the Smith company lumber yards at Bay Point, Cal.

SEPTEMBER.

Fire destroyed 20 blocks in Hot Springs, Ark.; loss \$6,000,000.

Flames destroyed 150 cottages, 6 hotels and a church at Salisbury Beach, Mass.; loss \$200,000.

Loss of \$1,000,000 by fire in Barker Bros. furniture warehouse, Los Angeles, Cal.

OCTOBER.

Fire at the railroad terminals, East St. Louis, caused a loss of \$1,000,000.

By the burning of the Arcadia hotel in Boston 28 lives were lost.

## GAMES AND RACES

## JANUARY.

Alfredo De Oro, champion pocket billiard player of the world, saved his title by defeating James Matus in New York.

## FEBRUARY.

Willie Hoppe retained his 182 ball line billiard championship by defeating George Sutton in a title match in New York; final count 500 to 201.

Hannes Kolehmainen made a new world's indoor record by running 5 miles in 24 minutes 48 seconds in New York.

Hannes Kolehmainen, the Finnish runner, made a new world's 5 mile record by going the distance in 24 minutes 20 seconds in New York.

APRIL.

McDonald scored a new world's record by hitting the 24 pound shot 39 feet and 34 inches in New York.

Kiviat made a new world's record by running 1,000 yards in 2 minutes 15 4/5 seconds in New York.

MAY.

Major baseball leagues opened the season of 1913.

Jerome D. Travers won the metropolitan amateur golf championship of New York, defeating A. F. Kammer.

JUNE.

Aboyer won the English Derby.

Jerome D. Travers won the New Jersey golf championship, defeating Oswald Kirby 3 up and 2 to play.

Americans won the first game of the international polo championship match at Meadowbrook, N. Y., by 5 1/2 goals to 3 for the English team.

American team won the deciding game in international polo match at Meadowbrook, N. Y., defeating the English team by 4 1/2 to 4 1/4 goals.

Syracuse won the varsity eight oared race, defeating Cornell; time 19 minutes 23 1/2 seconds.

Whisk Broom II. won the Brooklyn Handicap.

Harvard won the deciding game in the intercollegiate championship baseball series with Yale in Brooklyn; score 4 to 5.

Whisk Broom II. won the Suburban Handicap, beating a 9 year world's record by running a mile and a quarter in 2 minutes flat.

JULY.

The world's tennis championship won by Maurice E. McLoughlin of the United States, who defeated the English champion, Charles P. Dixon, at Wimbledon, England.

AUGUST.

Peter Volo made a new world's trotting record for 2-year-olds at Kalama, going the first mile in 2:09.

Director I. made a world's pacing record of 2:03 1/4 at Goshen, N. Y.

Pennant won the Futurity at Saratoga Springs, N. Y.

SEPTEMBER.

Jerome D. Travers won for the fourth time the national amateur golf championship, defeating John G. Anderson 5 up and 4 to play, at Garden City, N. Y.

Francis Ouimet, American amateur, won the open golf championship of the United States, defeating the British golfer Harry Vardon and Edward Ray, at Brookline, Mass.

Philadelphia Athletics clinched the American league pennant at Philadelphia, defeating Detroit Tigers 4 to 0 and 1 to 0.

New York Giants clinched the National league pennant, Philadelphia losing to Boston by 9 to 3.

OCTOBER.

In the opening game of the world's baseball series Philadelphia Athletics (American league) defeated the New York Giants (National league) 6 to 4 at New York.

The world's baseball series between the American and National leagues won by Philadelphia Athletics (American league) in New York; score 3 to 1, 5th game.

Miss Gladys Ravenscroft of England won the women's golf championship of the United States at Wilmington, Del.

Fat Ryan made a new world's record by throwing a 12 pound hammer 232 feet 9 1/2 inches in New York, displacing 207 feet 7 1/2 inches made by John Flanagan in 1912.

## CONVENTIONS

## APRIL.

Congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution opened in Washington.

## MAY.

United Confederate Veterans met at Chattanooga.

## JUNE.

American Medical association met in Minneapolis.

## JULY.

National Educational association met at Salt Lake City.

International Institute of Agriculture opened in Rome.

## AUGUST.

20th international peace congress opened at The Hague.

International Esperanto congress opened at Bern with 1,100 delegates present.

## SEPTEMBER.

International trades union congress met in Manchester, England.

4th annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic opened at Chattanooga, Tenn.

Sons of Veterans in session at Chattanooga, Tenn., elected John E. Sutter of Pittsburgh commander in chief.

## OCTOBER.

Triennial convention of the World's W. C. T. U. met in Brooklyn.

## NOVEMBER.

American Federation of Labor met at Seattle, Wash.

National Association of Good Roads met in St. Louis.

Daughters of the Confederacy met at New Orleans.

National Society Daughters of the G. A. R. met in Chicago.

## DECEMBER.

National Phi Kappa Phi college fraternity met in Chicago.

American Association for Labor Legislation met in Washington.

## MISCELLANEOUS ITEMS

## JANUARY.

Parcel post service began.

Judge Robert W. Archbald of the court of commerce was convicted by the United States senate on 8 articles of impeachment.

## FEBRUARY.

News of the disaster to Capt. R. F. Scott's antarctic expedition was cable from New Zealand. The south pole was reached March 29, 1912, and subsequent deaths of Scott and his companions perished in a blizzard.

## MARCH.

The ship Niagara, which Commodore Perry used in his victorious battle on Lake Erie in 1813, was raised from the bottom of the lake near Erie, Pa.

## APRIL.

30,000 Belgian workmen went on a strike for equal suffrage.

Funeral of John Pierpont Morgan held in New York city.

Crisis in the illness of Pope Pius; death seemed imminent.

Mrs. Mary Ann Cooper, original of Dickens' "Little Dorrit," died in London in her 100th year.

## MAY.

"Billy" Arlington, the old time negro minstrel, died at Los Angeles; aged 70.

The 100th anniversary of the birth of Richard Wagner, the master composer, celebrated throughout Germany.

Princess Victoria Luise of Prussia and Prince Ernest Augustus of Cumberland married in Berlin.

Bennett H. Young elected commander in chief of the United Confederate Veterans.

## JUNE.

E. P. Weston started from New York city on a walking match to Minneapolis, expecting to cover 1,400 miles in 40 days.

Count Zeppelin's dirigible balloon flew from Baden-Baden to Vienna, 52 miles, about, in 8 hours, beating express train time, which is 10 1/2 hours, by over 8 hours.

21 people killed and many injured by the collapse of a pier at Long Beach, Cal.

## JULY.

Opening of the Blue and Gray reunion at Gettysburg to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the battle.

"Military day" at the Gettysburg reunion, anniversary of the battle of Little Round Top.

Anniversary of Pickett's charge, the climax of the battle of Gettysburg, celebrated on the field.

Rumanian troops invaded Bulgarian territory, following a declaration of war by King Charles of Rumania.

Leon Letori, French aviator, flew from Paris to Berlin, 50 miles air line, in 1 hour without stop.

14 persons killed and 150 injured in a collision of electric trains at Los Angeles, Cal.

## AUGUST.

Edward Payson Weston, the pedestrian, arrived at Milwaukee, ending his walk of 1,546 miles from New York city, which he started June 2.

Way game between battleships, torpedo boats and submarines of the north Atlantic fleet and fleet at the eastern end of Long Island sound opened with Admiral Charles J. Gildes in command of the enemy navy, and Com. T. H. T. of the United States navy.

J. H. Alden arrived in New York city,

ending an around the world trip in 75 days, 21 hours, 35 minutes and 15 seconds, a record.

In the army and navy war game in Long Island sound the army (navy) was victorious, forcing a passage at three forts defended by army forces.

Fence twenty between Bulgaria against Greece, Serbia and Rumania was signed at Bucharest.

Harry K. Thaw, slayer of Stanford White, escaped from the state asylum for insane criminals at Matteawan, N. Y.

Record August heat in St. Louis, thermometer 103 in the streets.

The Pacific end of the Panama canal opened by explosion of 42 bombs, letting the waters of the ocean into the Miraflores locks.

## SEPTEMBER.

Roland Garros, French aviator, flew across the Mediterranean sea from St. Raphael, France, to Bizerta, north Africa, 408 miles, in 8 hours; average speed about 28 miles.

21 persons killed and over 40 injured in a collision on the New York, New Haven and Hartford near New Haven, Conn.

Zeppelin airship L. No. 1 wrecked by a hurricane over the North sea; 15 drowned.

Monument commemorating Commodore Oliver Hazard Perry's naval victory over the British fleet Sept. 19, 1813, unveiled on Put-in-Bay island, Lake Erie.

Harry K. Thaw deported from Canada across the Vermont border near Norton Mills.

18 balloons, including the Uncle Sam and the Goodwill from the United States, started from Paris in a race for the Gordon Bennett cup. Eight countries represented.

The first vessels lifted into the Pacific entrance of the Panama canal. The American battleship Goodwin landed at Bridlington, England, winning the Gordon Bennett cup; distance traveled from the starting point, Paris, 550 miles; time 4 hours.

A Zeppelin dirigible balloon exploded when 800 feet in the air at Johannisthal, Prussia, killing 28 passengers, including 5 members of the admiralty commission.

In a wreck on the Mobile and Ohio railroad at Bucatunga, Miss., 45 soldiers of the coast artillery were killed and 100 injured.

23 miners killed by explosion in the Stag Canyon mines, New Mexico.

H. B. Hollins & Co., noted banking house, New York, failed; liabilities estimated at \$5,000,000; assets \$500,000.

Steam tug Louise carried an official party through the Panama canal from ocean to ocean.

New York Real Estate Securities company failed, having liabilities of about \$16,000,000.

Gatun dam completed in the Panama canal.

Centenary of Holland's revolt against Napoleon Bonaparte celebrated.

New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad suspended payment of dividends.

"Mona Lisa," celebrated Da Vinci painting that was stolen from the Louvre, Paris, in 1911, reported found in Florence, Italy.

United States commerce court ended by congressional enactment.

Violent wind and rain storm worked destruction in sections of the United States.

Electrical tornado swept over the lower southern and southwestern states; 100 deaths.

Blizzard and cyclonic storm ravaged the central and southwestern states; destroying over 100 lives and property valued at several million dollars.

Cyclone killed 15 outright at Terre Haute and injured over 200; many fatally. Over 300 killed in Omaha, where 1,200 houses were burned or wrecked.

Floods reached their height in Ohio; 400 lives lost, and estimated property loss about \$300,000,000.

14 killed and 30 injured by a tornado at Omaha.

Snow in Massachusetts.

Record breaking heat day in Chicago. Thermometer 102 on street, deaths 41.

A windstorm caused a loss of \$1,000,000 in Washington, D. C.

Coast storm destroyed 500 houses at Nome, Alaska; loss \$1,500,000.

22 deaths and extensive damage caused by a storm which swept Louisiana.

Fierce blizzard swept the middle west and lake region. Vessels wrecked and property destroyed. Over 200 lives lost. Snow 21 inches deep in Cleveland.

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## SOME STATISTICS FOR PASSING YEAR

DATA COLLECTED FOR TWELVE MONTHS OF 1913.

Fire Department Responds to One Hundred Calls, With Tabulation of Loss of Property—Less Arrests for Drunkenness—Other Records Noted.

**Calendar for 1914.**  
 Thursday Jan. 1.—New Year's Day.  
 Monday Feb. 2.—Ground Hog Day.  
 Thursday Feb. 12.—Lincoln's Birthday.  
 Sunday Feb. 22.—Washington's Birthday.  
 Wednesday, Feb. 25.—Ash Wednesday.  
 Tuesday, March 17.—St. Patrick's Day.  
 Wednesday April 1.—All Fool's Day.  
 Palm Sunday, April 5.  
 Easter Sunday, April 12.  
 Saturday, May 30.—Memorial Day.  
 Saturday, July 4.—Independence Day.  
 Monday Sept. 7.—Labor Day.  
 Thursday Nov. 26.—Thanksgiving Day.  
 Friday, December 25.—Christmas.

According to an annual custom the Journal herewith presents some statistics for the past twelve months. The city has prospered in a great many ways and during the past year the merchants have enjoyed a liberal patronage. The community has been visited by no epidemic of a serious character, and no storms of consequence have wrought havoc to person and property. The country perhaps experienced the longest hot spell for a great many years.

**Fires for Year 1912.**  
 The fire department has responded to one hundred calls, the largest being Crawford's planing mill on Oct. 26, with a loss of \$12,500. The following are the conflagrations by months: January, 15; February, 13; March, 7; April, 6; May, 4; June, 5; July, 6; August, 15; September, 7; October, 9; November, 8; December, 5. The figures show that a great many fires were caused from defective flues and that there was also a number of false alarms. It is worthy of note that the fire department responded to a number of calls, which but for their timely work would have been large conflagrations. According to the statistics compiled by Chief Woods, the property loss for the year was \$15,215 and that to contents, \$14,129. The following are a list of the fires: Jan. 1.—False Alarm at 267 South West street.  
 Jan. 1.—Mary E. Rogers, 313 S. Main street, burning flue.  
 Jan. 3.—Dunlap Hotel West State, flue fire.  
 Jan. 3.—Mrs. B. Hopper, 405 N. Fayette, burning flue.  
 Jan. 4.—G. V. Sargent, 336 W. Court, burning flue. Loss \$1,500.  
 Jan. 5.—William J. Young, 231 South West street, flue. Loss \$15.  
 Jan. 6.—William A. Pike, 809 Dooling Ave. Barn. Loss \$600. Loss on contents \$150.  
 Jan. 8.—Public Library, burning coal. No loss.  
 Jan. 11.—Amos Henderson, 412 East North street, burning flue.  
 Jan. 23.—Dr. Allen King 812 W. State. No loss.  
 Jan. 27.—Mrs. Susan Angel, 240 Webster Ave. Spark from flue, no loss.  
 Jan. 29.—John Cherry, 265 South East street, burning flue.  
 Jan. 30.—L. L. Waterfield, 524 South Prairie, spark from flue. Loss \$2.00.  
 Feb. 1.—W. J. Olroyd, 1227 Park Place, burning flue.  
 Feb. 1.—Mrs. B. E. Walker, 221 West Lafayette street, spark from flue. Loss \$10.  
 Feb. 2.—Mrs. S. E. Babb, 1955 West College avenue, defective flue. Loss on contents \$30.  
 Feb. 8.—Henry Tendick, 829 S. Church street, defective flue. Loss \$15.00.  
 Feb. 9.—Elizabeth Hoffman, 729 North Main, spark from flue.  
 Feb. 9.—John Robertson, 7253 West State, barn. Loss \$4300. Loss on contents \$145.  
 Feb. 12.—Martin Daniels, 1009 North Fayette, residence, loss \$2,200. Loss on contents \$100.  
 Feb. 21.—Robert Clement, 428 South Main. No loss.  
 Feb. 21.—Robert Clement, residence. Loss \$483. Loss property, \$86.  
 Feb. 22.—Hick's residence, 346 East College avenue, defective flue. Loss \$40.  
 Feb. 24.—Snyder Ice and Fuel Co., North Main. No loss.  
 Feb. 27.—D. F. Gunning's store, East street. Loss \$200. Contents \$800.  
 Feb. 27.—Reisch Brewing Co., Illinois Avenue, barn loss \$150.  
 Mar. 1.—Milton Stout, 723 Pearl Street. No loss.  
 Mar. 6.—Mrs. T. Rice Smith, 610 North Church street, flue, no loss.  
 Mar. 10.—Theatre north side square—Incendiary. Loss \$875; loss contents \$800.  
 Mar. 15.—Ferreira residence 325 East North street burning flue, no loss.  
 Mar. 19.—Wabash stock yards, grass on fire.  
 March 19.—Brush on fire, 537 Hardin avenue.  
 Mar. 27.—W. Bauman, residence, E. North street, burning flue, no loss.  
 April 17.—Mrs. L. V. DeCastro, 513 North Pine, flue. Loss \$6.50.  
 April 21.—Mrs. Mildred Bates, 523 South West street. Loss \$97. Loss on contents, \$20.  
 April 22.—Mrs. Russell, North Prairie, brush fire.

April 23.—Ill. Telephone Co. Pole on fire Lafayette and Ashland. Loss \$25.  
 April 25.—South Side square, auto on fire.  
 April 26.—Illinois Bridge Co. No loss.  
 May 20.—Wabash Tower, Illinois Avenue. Loss \$100.  
 May 22.—McBride and Eads warehouse. Loss \$3.00.  
 May 26.—Pantatorium, No. Main No. Loss.  
 May 27.—Lon Perkins East Walcott, No loss.  
 June 5.—William Pitner, 417 South East street, false alarm.  
 June 10.—Star Lunch room, N. Side. No loss.  
 June 11.—Coover and Shreve, E. Side square. No loss.  
 June 11.—Carl Hook, 829 West State, spark from bon-fire. Loss \$75.  
 June 21.—Cable box, Western Union. Struck by lightning. Loss \$150.  
 July 2.—J. H. Peck, 45 Davenport street. No loss.  
 July 4.—H. Herring, 400 South Main. Loss \$75. Loss to contents \$50.  
 July 6.—False alarm East State street.  
 July 8.—Dr. Kopperl's residence, 326 West State. Loss \$40. Loss contents \$194.  
 July 28.—Jacksonville State Hospital. No loss.  
 Aug. 1.—Taylor's residence, E. State. Still alarm.  
 Aug. 7.—Bloom Black, Cox street, loss \$25. Loss contents, \$114.  
 Aug. 10.—E. R. Frost, W. Morgan street. Loss \$115. Loss contents, \$150.  
 Aug. 14.—McEver's wagon, gasoline explosion.  
 Aug. 17.—Electric wires (lightning), S. Sandy street.  
 Aug. 17.—U. G. Woodman bakery struck by lightning no loss.  
 Aug. 22.—Wabash spark from engine, no loss.  
 Aug. 25.—Odd Fellows hall, W. State street. No loss.  
 Aug. 28.—Standard Oil Company, grass on fire—Car shops.  
 Aug. 30.—On Wah laundry, N. East street. Loss \$25.  
 Aug. 31.—Jacob Cohen, West Lafayette barn, loss \$300. Loss contents, \$1000.  
 Aug. 31.—Jacob Cohen, W. Lafayette. Barn. No loss.  
 Aug. 31.—Harrigan and Co. Loss \$5.00.  
 Sept. 1.—Grass, Wabash right of way.  
 Sept. 2.—Store house, W. Barr. Brown 1109 West State, loss \$400. Loss contents, \$200.  
 Sept. 2.—Mr. Johnson, 822 Dooling avenue, no loss.  
 Sept. 10.—C. P. and St. L. Pump house, E. Walnut. Loss \$150. Loss contents, \$300.  
 Sept. 10.—Grass, East Dunlap street.  
 Sept. 18.—Sherman Spencer, South East street. Loss \$55. Loss contents \$125.  
 Sept. 23.—William Thompson, 1334 South East street, flue no loss.  
 Oct. 4.—Jas. Vieira, 731 Freedman street, loss \$700. Loss contents, \$300.  
 Oct. 9.—L. Carter, 1429 Center street. Loss \$15.00.  
 Oct. 15.—Philip Branner, no loss.  
 Oct. 21.—L. F. O'Donnell garage, defective flue.  
 Oct. 21.—A. Jones, 923 South Clay avenue. Fire in cellar; no loss.  
 Oct. 21.—H. T. Sperry, Cause flat on South Sandy street. Loss, \$225; loss to contents, \$700.  
 Oct. 26.—Crawford Lumber company, Loss, \$3,500; loss to contents, \$9,000.  
 Oct. 27.—H. Stevenson, 312 North Main street; no loss.  
 Oct. 31.—C. F. McHatton, flue fire; no loss.  
 Nov. 2.—James Pierson, 72 1/2 Square, flue fire; no loss.  
 Nov. 4.—O. W. Hall, 212 1/2 North Main street; no loss.  
 Nov. 6.—William Boyce, spark from flue; loss 5.00.  
 Nov. 9.—Alden Brown, 1022 West State street, spark from flue; loss, \$3.50.  
 Nov. 11.—Frank Read, 222 Sandusky street, spark from flue; loss, \$5.00.  
 Nov. 11.—J. Johnson, 417 South Mainvalterre street, spark from flue; loss \$5.00.  
 Nov. 19.—Alexander Howard, 947 N. Main St., lamp overturned; loss, \$10.00.  
 Nov. 23.—J. A. Obermeyer, garage 214 North Church street; no loss.  
 Dec. 2.—Everett Kimmel, 719 South Diamond street, spark from flue; loss, \$4.00.  
 Dec. 10.—George Kiel, 587 North Church street, spark from flue; loss, \$15.00.  
 Dec. 18.—Mrs. M. H. Tolyns, 1020 West State street; hen house, loss \$40.  
 Dec. 21.—Unity building, West State street, flue; no loss.  
 Dec. 30.—Mrs. Chipman, 317 S. East street. No damage.

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 Drunk, 2; disorderly conduct, 15; assault and battery, 4; abusive language, 1; larceny, 6; bootlegging, 3. Total, 31.  
**December.**  
 Drunk, 6; disorderly conduct, 19; assault and battery, 2; carrying concealed weapons, 2; forgery, 1. Total, 30.

**Summary of Arrests.**  
 Burglary, 3; riding bicycle on sidewalk, 5; drunkenness, 110; violating speed ordinance, 5; disorderly conduct, 238; peddling without license, 3; assault and battery, 19; jumping board bill, 1; vagrancy, 5; malicious mischief, 1; suspicion, 6; gaming, 8; abusive language, 4; carrying concealed weapons, 5; larceny, 13; disturbing the peace, 2; forgery, 1; peace warrants, 1; nuisance, 1; bootlegging, 7; fast driving, 4; wife abandonment, 1. Total, 445.

**Arrests for Drunkenness.**  
 Month '09 '10 '11 '12 '13  
 Jan. .... 5 7 2 8 11  
 Feb. .... 3 8 5 8 10  
 Mar. .... 3 9 6 4 7  
 April .... 5 4 10 15 15  
 May .... 6 8 8 9 5  
 June .... 8 21 19 7 24  
 July .... 16 7 5 12 6  
 Aug. .... 7 15 13 12 8  
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## OLD MORGAN COUNTY IS NOW FULL NINETY YEARS OF AGE

### Mr. Moore Tells Facts About the Beginning--Legislative Enactment Jan., 31-1823 Made Provision for the County--Some Names Prominent in Local History.

(By Ensley Moore)

This is the last day of the year on which the Ninetieth Anniversary of Morgan County can be observed.

For it was on January 31, 1823 that the legislature of Illinois enacted that the county of Morgan should be. The mother of Morgan was Greene, established in 1821, and the grandmother of our county was Madison, founded in 1812, under the Territorial government. Back of Madison we were included in St. Clair county, the first organized in what is now the state of Illinois, so we are descended in a short and straight line from the earliest days after Illinois had ceased to be a part of the North West Territory or a County of Illinois, under the kindly government of Virginia, "the mother of presidents" and the home of Washington.

Is it not a high heritage? Is it any wonder that Illinois could give to the nation the two greatest successors of Washington, Lincoln and Grant.

In the early history of this county two men were standard authorities, Murray McConnell and William Thomas; for it is said of Meredosa that: "In 1819 Gen. Murray McConnell, in passing up the river, found one man residing near the present site of the town. This man was a priest by the name of Antoine O'Sia, and the town was named from the circumstance of a man by this name living on a lake (Mere). And Judge Thomas came here from Kentucky in 1826. Both men became lawyers, politicians, prominent, and rich men.

In 1823 there were but about seventy-two families in what was then in the newly constituted county of Morgan, from which Cass was set off in 1837 and Scott in 1839.

Mr. McConnell came into this region to live in 1820, and it was his home until his tragic death in February, 1869.

General McConnell said in 1868, in a speech at the laying of the corner stone of the present court house (State and West streets): "In 1823 the legislature by law created Morgan county. The county was organized on the first Monday of March 1823, and on that day the first election was held therein, at a place called Swinnerton's Point, a mile and a half northeast of where the town of Lynnville now stands. At that election Joseph Klein, John Clark and Daniel Lieb acted as judges, and Dennis Rockwell and Joseph M. Fairfield were the clerks. Seymour Kellogg, Thomas Arnett and Peter Conover were elected county commissioners, and Wiley B. Green, sheriff. Three men, Samuel Bristow, John Clark and Henry Fahnestock had been appointed by the legislature to fix the county seat, and on the third Monday of March, 1823, they located the same at a place called Olmstead's Mound, now called Allison's Mound, about one and one half miles north of the present town of Lynnville, and now near the eastern boundary of Scott county. In the fall of 1823, the first circuit court was held at that place, John Reynolds afterwards governor was the judge, Milton Ladd was the clerk, Wiley B. Green, the sheriff, and James Turner, then of Carrollton, Greene county, was state's attorney. The persons present claiming to be lawyers, in addition to Turner, were Alfred W. Coverley, then of Greene county; Murray McConnell of Morgan county; Benjamin Mills of Vandalia; Jonathan H. Pugh and William S. Hamilton, then of Sangamon county.

There was but one building at the place, that was made of round logs, a single room of about sixteen feet each way, with an addition, leaned up against one side of it, about half as big as the main building. This was the dwelling house of Mr. Olmstead's family, who turned out, lived in a camp, and gave up his house to the court. In that camp, by a big log heap fire the females of Mr. Olmstead's family cooked for the judge and lawyers and other attendants of the court and set the table, barbecue fashion, between the camp and the house, and all slept on a bed made on the floor. In the room where the court was held. This was called field-bed, the sleepers laid across the bed, not lengthwise. There was about room enough in this house for the court, clerks, sheriff and lawyers, and one jury at a time--the grand jury was called in, and sworn, and sent out to deliberate under some forest trees nearby. The bystanders gathered around the jury and all hands took part in the proceeding. The travis jury, when trying a case, was accommodated with seats, made of split logs, inside the house, and when the trial closed, they were sent out into the grove under the charge of a constable, to make up their verdict, and the constable often had much trouble to prevent the parties and witnesses from participating in the deliberations. In one instance he failed entirely and the contending parties got into a rough and tumble fight, and the constable called on the jury to aid in keeping the peace, and in their attempting to do so, all parties, jury, bystanders, and constables, got into a general row, the lawyers and people left the court and the grand jury left their shade trees, and all ran to the scene of action; several fights were going on at the same time, and all this increased the confusion, which grew hotter and wilder, until the judge himself and sheriff also, repaired to the jury-

room, alias the field of battle, and by an effort quelled the fray. The idea of imprisoning the offenders was out of the question, as there was no prison within eighty miles, and to punish them by fine would have been fully as useless, as in nine cases out of ten, the offenders had no property but a gun, and as the law then was, that could not be taken for debt or fine any more than you could lawfully take a piece of the owner's ear for the purpose. There was but one mortuory kept at Olmstead's Mound."

The first census of Morgan county was taken by Gen. Murray McConnell in 1824, but the returns were lost with other county records by the burning of the first court house.

Incidentally, it is written, that the year 1820 is remembered as being remarkably dry. One of the settlers remembers that the considerable fall of rain occurred from April, 1820, to the same date of the following year. A good crop of corn and other field products, owing to the richness of the soil and the heavy dews, was however grown. The next season considerable cotton was raised and a cotton gin erected by Mr. Johnson, on the farm later owned by Cortez M. Dewey, Esq., of Meredosa road. This should probably have been called the farm of Col. Rising Dewey, father of C. M. Dewey.

During the period between 1824 and 1827, there was a constant immigration to Morgan county, principally from the southern counties of the state, they being largely from the South previously.

But little trouble with the Indians was experienced by the early settlers of Morgan county. Just above Meredosa, on the East bank of the river, is a beautiful level plateau containing about fifteen acres. This was the village home of a tribe of Indians, and it was here that Antoine D'Ossia, a French priest from whom the lake and the present town of Meredosa received their names, lived.

In Mr. Eames' history of Jacksonville and Morgan county he remarks: "According to Mr. Ensley Moore's epitome of local affairs in 1830, the State of Illinois had a population of 155,447 and Morgan county then included what is now Cass and Scott counties, making about 1,114 square miles.

In 1821, Morgan county contained only 21 families, in 1825 its population was 4,502, in 1830 it was 12,281. (End of quotation.)

It was in Jan. 1825, that the legislature passed the act appointing John Howard, John Lusk and Abraham Pickett commissioners to select a permanent seat of justice for Morgan. The government then owned the land selected, now the site of Jacksonville, but two shrewd gentlemen, learning of the commissioner's decision, immediately purchased the land from the government, and were at once ready to lay out the new town.

On the 10th of March, Mr. Johnson Shelton, the county surveyor, began the survey by laying out a public square of a little more than five acres, directly in the center of the site, partly on the land of Isaac Dial, partly on land owned by Jacky Anderson, and partly on the land of Thomas Arnetet, the three who bought in the quarter selected by the commissioners.

It will be remembered that Mr. Arnetet was one of the first county commissioners.

Again quoting from McConnell at the cornerstone laying: "The first court house was built in Jacksonville in the year 1826 and in that day it was as good a courthouse as the state of the county finances could afford. It was a frame building set on blocks saved from a round log and of course, we lay no corner stone under it, as we are now doing with this great building. That house was located on the North West corner of the public square in Jacksonville, now called the park. It cost about \$450.

The first court house was burned on the 6th of December, 1827, and with it was destroyed all the records of the circuit and county courts of the county and some deeds for lands belonging to citizens in the Recorder's office. To supply its place another court house was built in 1829, of brick and costing about \$4000. (This was just south west of the present pump in the park and was taken down about 1870.)

This perhaps relates about all of the early organization of the county as such. But it shows little of what the establishment of Morgan county and of Jacksonville meant to Illinois, to the nation and to the world, for from this location have gone out influences for the good of the state, of the nation and of mankind.

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## MARRIAGE LICENSE RECORD SHOWS SLIGHT VARIATION FROM PAST

Number Issued by County Clerk in 1913 is 281, Just Five Below the Record of Last Year--Judge Brookhouse Credited With Largest Number of Ceremonies.

During the year 1913 there were just five less marriage licenses issued than for 1912. The records in the office of county clerk Brookhouse show that this year the number thus far issued is 281 whereas the figures for last year were 286. The record of 1913 however is ahead of 1911 and when 280 licenses were issued and far behind 1910 when the number was 308.

This year Judge Brookhouse heads the list for having performed the largest number of ceremonies, 31 being credited to him. Among ministers Dr. F. A. McCarthy leads with 22, Rev. Clyde Darsie and Rev. G. W. Flagg coming next far below this record, with 20 and 18 respectively. The list as given below were not be absolutely correct as there were a few licenses issued upon which returns have not yet been filed.

Records in the office of E. D. Pyatt recorder show that the number of instruments filed for record in 1913 up to the hour of closing last night was 2,613. This is about the average as the number last year was 2,491. In 1911 the figures were 2,491 and in 1910 they were 2,651.

Marriage license records follows:

License Record by Months.	Total
January	20
February	23
March	16
April	25
May	21
June	22
July	18
August	28
September	24
October	33
November	23
December	28
<b>Total</b>	<b>281</b>

**Ministers and Justices Officiating.**

Judge Brookhouse	31
F. A. McCarthy	22
Clyde Darsie	22
G. W. Flagg	18
W. T. Dyer	15
W. E. Spoons	12
J. W. Miller	11
W. L. Dorgan	10
W. E. Thomson	8
H. S. Alkire	7
L. H. Davis	6
S. A. McIntosh	4
A. B. Morey	4
C. D. Houghman	4
J. H. Howsman	4
H. F. Cargill	4
P. Soerensen	3
R. O. Post	3
P. A. McCauley	3
F. A. Lucas	3
A. E. Benton	3
J. W. Rhoades	3
J. G. Kuppler	3
E. B. Ashurst	3
Amos Henderson	3
J. M. Coons	2
R. B. Hubbard	2
H. H. Mitchell	2
J. E. Teaney	2
L. H. Williams	2
F. Gruenewald	2
J. L. Coleman	2
E. J. Cannon	2
W. W. Theobald	2
G. W. Miller	3

The following had one ceremony: each: H. R. Neeley, R. H. Aldrich, F. J. Taylor, H. J. Floreth, Howard Leach, E. C. Lucas, O. G. Dinwiddie, J. R. Harker, R. J. Watts, J. W. Kettle, C. E. French, G. T. Shaw, A. A. Russell, I. E. Harris, W. H. Dickman, W. R. Johnson, A. E. Miller, Baxter Hale, J. E. Curry, H. H. DeWitt, James A. Smith, A. E. Miller, J. G. Reed, J. C. Roads, S. C. Latham, D. W. Owens, E. B. Houck, W. J. McQuire, A. L. Meacham, Carey Fitzjarrrell, C. R. Morrison, H. D. French, W. E. Carnell, G. W. Burnett, W. A. Boyd, J. W. Kirk, S. W. Akers, C. W. Johnson and Richard E. Fox.

**AN ORDINANCE.**  
The following is the anti-liquor ordinance which the city council adopted Monday:

"Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Jacksonville:

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any express company, railway company or other common carrier or for any person to bring into or to deliver to any person within the city of Jacksonville any intoxicating liquors.

"Sec. 2. Any express company, railway company or other common carrier or any person violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the city of Jacksonville as a penalty the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every such violation."

Passed at a regular meeting of the city council, Monday Dec. 1, 1913.  
George W. Davis, Mayor.

Attest:  
R. L. Pyatt, city clerk.

**BIDS FOR BOILER.**  
Sealed bids will be received by the City of Jacksonville, Ill., at the office of Commissioner of Accounts and Finance at City Hall until 10 a. m., January 5th, A. D. 1914, for one Water Tube Boiler in accordance with specifications on file at the office of City Clerk.

All bids should be sealed and marked "Bids for Boiler" and addressed to the undersigned.

Charles R. Knollenberg,  
Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

The city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.  
Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1913.

**WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE SOON.**  
The ordinance prohibiting the shipment of liquor into Jacksonville passed by the city council Dec. 2, will become effective January 9. Mayor Davis said yesterday that it is the intention of the council to have the law enforced as strictly as possible and if there is a question as to the legality of the measure it will be fought out in the courts.

**YATESVILLE.**

Elder W. I. Carnell preached at the church here Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. M. L. Robinson spent Christmas with relatives near Woodson.

M. Cashin and family of Prentice spent Sunday at the home of W. H. Yancy.

Mrs. Carrie Sheppard of Woodson and Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and family of Litchberry spent Sunday at the home of M. L. Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Farmer spent Christmas with the family of R. Hudspeth of Ashland.

Charles Yancy of Peoria spent Christmas with his parents here.

**RURAL CREDIT SOUGHT.**  
Boston, Mass., Dec. 30--The New England members of the American commission on agricultural organization and rural credits that visited Europe last summer met at the State House here today and began a two days' conference with the object of deciding upon a uniform credit and co-operation policy to extend throughout New England. The Massachusetts legislature which is about to assemble will be asked to act on a bill giving credit to the farmers through the issuance of bonds on a co-operative basis or by some other form that may be considered best. Such a measure, it is believed, will greatly help to the millions of acres of waste lands in New England.

**BIDS FOR GENERATOR.**  
Sealed bids will be received by the city of Jacksonville, at the office of the commissioner of accounts and finance, at the city hall, until 10 a. m., January 5th, 1914, for one three phase, 60 cycle, 2300 volts, belted generator 150 K. W. alternating current, in accordance with specifications on file at the office of the city clerk. All bids should be sealed and marked "Bid for Generator" and addressed to the undersigned. The city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

Charles R. Knollenberg,  
Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.  
Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1913.

**WILL BE TRIED IN JUVENILE COURT**  
William Goacher Jr., was brought from Waverly yesterday and will be tried before Judge Brookhouse today on a charge of delinquency.

**NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.**  
In the matter of the estate of Bridget Walsh, deceased.  
Notice is hereby given, that I, the undersigned, executrix of the last will and testament of Bridget Walsh, deceased, have caused my final report and account as such executrix to be placed on file in the office of the clerk of the county court of Morgan county, and that I shall apply to said court on Monday, the 12th day of January A. D. 1914, at 9 o'clock a. m. of that day, or as soon thereafter as I can be heard, for an order of approval of said report and account, and for my final discharge, at which time and place all persons interested can appear and show cause, if any they have, why such order and discharge should not be granted.

Bridget Walsh,  
Executrix.

**ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE**  
Valuable residence property located on Greenwood Avenue in Jacksonville, Illinois, belonging to the Estate of Emma C. Summers, deceased, to be sold at public sale. State of Illinois ss.

Morgan County ss.  
In the County Court thereof, In Probate, November Term A. D. 1913 E. M. Dunlap as Administrator of the Estate of Emma C. Summers, deceased, vs. Harry H. Summers, deceased, vs. Harry H. Summers, deceased, vs. Irene D. Summers, Sider Bond and Michael Morrissey. Decree for Sale of Real Estate to pay Debts.

By virtue of an order and decree of the County Court of Morgan County, Illinois, made on the petition of the undersigned, administrator of the Estate of Emma C. Summers, deceased, for leave to sell the real estate of said deceased, at the November Term A. D. 1913 of said Court, to wit: on the 18th day of November, 1913, I shall on Saturday, January 24, 1914, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of that day, sell at public vendue at the south front door of the court house in the city of Jacksonville in said county, the following described real estate situated in the County of Morgan and State of Illinois, to wit:

Sixty (60) feet off the west end of a tract of land described as follows: Beginning at the south east corner of the north west quarter of the south west quarter of Section Twenty-nine (29) in Township Fifteen (15) North and Range Ten (10) West of the Third Principal Meridian, and running thence north two hundred and seventy-two (272) feet and three (3) inches, thence west three hundred and thirty (330) feet, thence south two hundred and seventy-two (272) feet and three (3) inches, and thence east three hundred and thirty (330) feet to the place of beginning, except from said tract a strip thirty (30) feet wide off of the east side thereof and a strip forty (40) feet wide off of the south side thereof, said above described tract being formerly known as Lots Thirty-one (31) and Thirty-two (32) in Gallaher's Second Addition to Jacksonville (now vacated.)

On the following terms, to wit: for cash in hand.  
Dated this Sixteenth day of December A. D. 1913.

E. M. Dunlap,  
Administrator of the Estate of Emma C. Summers, deceased.  
George L. Merrill,  
Solicitor for Petitioner.

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to 4:30 and 7 to 8 p. m. Sunday,  
9 to 9:30 a. m. and by appointment.  
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Office—610 West State Street.  
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6 p. m. Both phones, 275.  
Residence—1123 W. State Street.  
Both phones, 151.

## REMOVAL

**Dr. Carl E. Black**  
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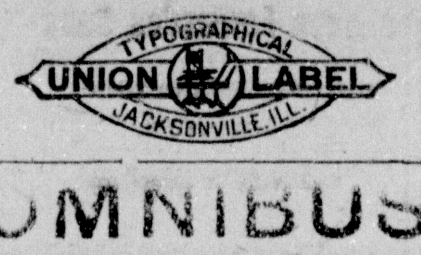
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Miss Helen Richardson of Jack-  
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W. B. Barrow.

Miss Hazel Green of Woodson and  
Miss Helen Craig spent a part of  
last week with Miss Iva Green.

Misses Lena and Harriett Taylor  
returned to their home near Cle-  
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with their cousins, Misses Ruth and  
Elizabeth Hembrough.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Megginson  
and children attended the dinner  
given Sunday at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. Joseph Megginson, near  
Woodson, in honor of Mr. and Mrs.  
A. E. Hembrough of Bronson, Kan.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Green and  
Miss Alice Green of the city spent  
Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. A. B.  
Green.

Mrs. Martha Taylor of Clements  
was a Friday guest of her niece, Mrs.  
E. R. Hembrough.

Eddie Horton of the Cross Roads  
neighborhood spent Saturday with  
Glenn Hembrough.

William Hembrough of Murray-  
ville was a guest at the home of his  
brother, Frank Hembrough, and  
family Saturday.

# WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

## INTERRUPTED RISE IN STOCK MARKET IS RESUMED FOR A TIME

**Movement Lacks Power of Last  
Week's Rise and Demand Is  
Not Sufficient to Sustain  
Prices at the Higher Range.**

NEW YORK, Dec. 30.—The ad-  
vance in stocks interrupted in the  
two preceding sessions, was resum-  
ed for a time today. Leading shares  
were marked up 1 to 2 points. But  
the movement lacked the power of  
last week's rise and the demand was  
not sufficient to sustain prices at  
the higher range. Operations on  
the long side were not aggressive.  
Gradually the list settled back un-  
til the effects of the early rise had  
disappeared.

There was little incentive to fresh  
efforts on the constructive side. The  
recent advance failed to stimulate  
public buying on a large scale and  
at the same time it weakened the  
market's position by driving in the  
shorts.

Announcement of the appointment  
of receivers for certain stores and  
interests of the Siegel stores cor-  
poration apparently had little effect  
on the market at the moment but it  
was influential in bringing on the  
slow reactionary movement of the  
afternoon. The market had to con-  
tend also with the effects of further  
foreign selling, due to unfavorable  
conditions in the European invest-  
ment markets and the year-end set-  
tlements. London sold about 10,  
000 shares here.

Union Pacific's November showing  
of a decrease in operating income  
of \$453,000 was in line with the un-  
favorable reports of other large Sys-  
tems. Canadian Pacific, however, re-  
ported a gain in net of \$630,000 and  
that stock responded temporarily  
with an upturn of 2 points.

**New York Stock List—Last Sale.**  
Amalg. Copper 34  
Amer. Beet Sugar 23 3/4  
Amer. Cotton Oil 36 1/2  
Amer. S. & R. 63 3/4  
Amer. Sugar Refining 109  
Amer. T. & T. 123  
Anaconda Mining Co. 35 1/4  
Atlantic Coast Line 116 1/2  
Baltimore & Ohio 92 3/4  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit 87 1/2  
Canadian Pacific 105 1/2  
Chesapeake & Ohio 67 1/2  
Chicago & N. W. 127 1/2  
Chicago, M. & St. P. 23 1/2  
Colorado Fuel & Iron 28 1/2  
Colorado & Southern 26  
Delaware & Hudson 150 1/4  
Denver & Rio Grande 17  
General Electric 138 1/2  
Great Northern pf. 126 3/4  
Great Northern Ore Cfs. 34  
Illinois Central 106  
Interborough-Met. 14 1/2  
Interborough-Met. pf. 60  
Inter Harvester 191  
Louisville & Nashville 133 1/2  
Missouri Pacific 127 1/2  
Missouri, K. & T. 19 1/2  
Lehigh Valley 149 1/2  
National Lead 44  
N. Y. Central 92  
Norfolk & Western 102  
Northern Pacific 109 1/2  
Pennsylvania 109 1/2  
People's Gas 120 1/2  
Pullman Palace Car 132  
Reading 168 1/2  
Rock Island Co. 13 1/2  
Rock Island Co. pf. 21  
Southern Pacific 89  
Southern Railway 23  
Union Pacific 14 1/2  
United States Steel 58 1/2  
United States Steel pf. 106 1/2  
Wabash 2 1/2  
Western Union 57  
New Haven 76  
U. S. ref. 28, registered 97 1/2  
U. S. ref. 28, coupon 97 1/2  
U. S. 3s, registered 102 1/2  
U. S. 3s, coupon 102 1/2  
U. S. 4s, registered 111  
U. S. 4s, coupon 112 1/2  
Panama 38, coupon 99 1/2

**New York Grain Market**  
New York, Dec. 30.—Wheat spot  
steady. No. 2 red 99c nominal eleva-  
tor domestic and 100c for export;  
No. 1 Northern Duluth 99c for  
export. Futures inactive with small  
price changes; December 96 1/2; May  
97 1/2; July 94.

Corn spot steady; New No. 3 yellow  
7 1/2 c to arrive.  
Oats—Spot dull.

**New York Provision Market**  
New York, Dec. 30.—Butter  
steady unchanged.

Cheese—Firm. State whole milk  
held, specials 17 1/2 c; average fancy  
16 1/2 c; fresh specials 16 1/2 c; 16 1/2 c;  
average fancy 16 1/2 c; Wisconsin whole  
milk dairies 16 1/2 c; twins and  
flats 16 1/2 c; skims 17 1/2 c.

Eggs—Steady and unchanged.  
Coffee—Spot unsettled; Rio 7, 9c;  
Santos 10, 4 1/2 c; mild dull; Cor-  
do 13 1/2 c nominal.

Raw sugar steady. Muscovado  
26 1/2 c; centrifugal 31 1/2 c; 32 1/2 c;  
molasses 27 1/2 c; 24 1/2 c; refined quiet.

**New York Money Market**  
New York, Dec. 30.—Call money  
strong, 2 1/2 c; ruling rate 6; closing  
2 1/2 c.

Time loans easier; 60 and 90 days  
4 1/2 c; 6 months 4 1/2 c; 1 year  
4 1/2 c.

Mercantile paper 5 1/2 c; 6 c;  
Sterling exchange steady; 60 days  
151.25; demand 485.20.

Commercial bills 48 1/2 c;  
Bar silver 57 1/2 c.

**St. Louis Livestock Market**  
Receipts, 16,000.  
Market steady.  
Pigs and light ..... \$6.50 @ 8.05  
Mixed and butchers ..... 7.85 @ 8.10  
Good heavy ..... 8.00 @ 8.10

**CATTLE.**  
Receipts, 4,700.  
Market steady.  
Native beef steers ..... \$7.50 @ 9.75  
Cows and heifers ..... 4.25 @ 8.50  
Stockers and feeders ..... 5.00 @ 7.50

**SHEEP.**  
Receipts, 4,000.  
Market steady.  
Native muttons ..... \$3.75 @ 5.00  
Lambs ..... 5.25 @ 8.25

**Peoria Grain Market**  
Peoria, Ill., Dec. 30.—Corn steady



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"I tried several remedies, but the trouble seemed to grow worse instead of better, and I tried several treatments which cured me for a month, but it always broke out again. One day a friend saw the advertisement of Cuticura Soap and Ointment in the paper and I sent for a sample. They helped me, so I purchased two more boxes of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and they completely cured me. It took three months for Cuticura Soap and Ointment to completely cure me." (Signed) Walter Mahony, Oct. 22, 1912.

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## GIVES FURTHER FACTS ON NEW INCOME TAX LAW

J. L. Pickering Collector of Internal Revenue Issues Statement Supplementary to One Previously Made.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 30.—As an addition to his summary of the provisions of the income tax law applicable to individuals Collector of Internal Revenue, J. L. Pickering, of this city furnishes the press of his district the following:

There shall be allowed as deductions in computing net income for the normal tax:

1. Necessary expenses actually paid in carrying on any business, not including personal, living or family expenses.

2. All interest paid on indebtedness.

3. All national, state, county, school and municipal taxes, not including those for local benefits.

4. Losses actually sustained during the year, incurred in trade, or from fires, storms, and not compensated for by insurance or otherwise.

5. Debts due the taxpayer and actually ascertained to be worthless and charged off during the year.

6. A reasonable allowance for the exhaustion, wear and tear of property arising out of its use or employment in the business, not to exceed, in the case of mines, 5 per cent of the gross value at the mine of the output of the year for which the computation is made.

But no deduction shall be made for any amount of expense of restoring property or making good the exhaustion thereof for which an allowance is, or has been made.

No deduction shall be allowed for any amount paid out for new buildings, permanent improvements or betterments made to increase the value of any property or estate.

7. The amount received as dividend upon the stock, or from the net earnings of any corporation (nearly all banks are corporations), joint stock company, association or insurance company, which is taxable upon its net income.

8. The amount of income, the tax upon which has been paid, or withheld for payment at the source of the income. Provided if such annual income does not exceed \$3,000,000, or is not fixed or certain or in indefinite or irregular as to amount or time of accrual, the same shall not be deducted in the personal return of such person.

The net income from property owned and business carried on in the United States by persons residing elsewhere, shall be computed upon this basis and that part of Paragraph G, relating to computing the net income of corporations, etc., organized or existing under the laws of foreign countries, insofar as applicable.

In computing net income there shall be excluded interest upon the obligations of a State or any political subdivision thereof, and upon the obligations of the United States or its possessions. Also the compensation of all officers and employees of a State or political subdivision thereof.

Necessary expenses actually paid in carrying on any business naturally include: Rent (if any) of place of business, clerk and help hire, lighting and heating, stationery, advertising, insurance on stock of fixtures, freight and express charges, telephone and telegraph tolls, traveling expenses while wholly on business. In brief, all expenses incurred exclusively in conducting the business.

In the opinion of the Collector, the maintenance of an automobile, or horse used occasionally by the family, or for pleasure, is not deductible from the income as business expense. To be deductible as business expense, the items must not be connected in any way with the living expenses of the taxable person.

Expenses for medical attendance, hospital bills, store accounts, family supplies, wages of all domestic servants, insurance and telephone and heat and light for the home, cost of board, rent of house or living rooms, and expenses of like nature applicable to the living expenses of the taxable person, are not allowed as deductions, in the opinion of the Collector.

In addition to the deductions there is a specific exemption allowed for 1913, of \$2,500 for single persons, and \$3,333.33 for husband or wife, if living together.

Forms for returns of individuals will be furnished banks and individuals early in January by the Collector, upon request. They will probably contain full instructions.

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### WASHINGTONIANS FEEL

AGGRIEVED.

Washington, Dec. 30.—It is putting it mildly to say that the people of Washington feel aggrieved over President Wilson's act in cancelling the New Year reception at the white house. However sound and reasonable may have been the president's reason for abolishing the time honored custom, the people feel that he has deprived them of one of their most cherished privileges. New Year's day in the capital without the white house reception is going to be a strange New Year's indeed, particularly for the older inhabitants who have stood in line times without number and awaited their turn to shake hands with the president.

The historical records show that the New Year's reception at the white house dates back to the very founding of the national capital. Within the memory of the present generation the program for the function has remained practically unchanged. First to be received were the members of the cabinet and the diplomatic corps, followed by the ju-

diary, former cabinet officers, ambassadors, ministers, etc. Then came members of congress, army and navy officers, heads of government departments and bureaus, members of district military organizations and the oldest inhabitants of the District of Columbia. Beginning at 12:30 o'clock and continuing for about two hours the president greeted the plain citizens, many of whom had been in line since early morning.

## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS, SOUTHERN DIVISION.

Orrin D. Bleakley, trustee, plaintiff, vs. The Jacksonville Water Works Company and others, defendants, in equity.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of a decree of this Court dated the 26th day of November, A. D. 1913 and made and entered on or about that date in the above entitled cause, I, the undersigned, Master in Chancery of this Court, will sell at public sale to the highest bidder upon the terms in said decree and hereinafter stated at the Power House of The Jacksonville Water Company near the Village of Bluffs in the County of Scott and State of Illinois upon the mortgaged premises hereinafter described on Friday, the 30th day of January, A. D. 1914, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon of that day, as an entirety and as one property and not in separate parcels, and in the manner hereinafter directed, the mortgaged plant, premises, franchises and property described in said decree and the deed of trust therein mentioned as follows:

"All and singular the property of The Jacksonville Water Works Company, its mains extending through the streets of said City of Jacksonville, Illinois, and also its twenty-inch main extending in a westerly direction through the Counties of Morgan and Scott to a point West of the Town of Bluffs in the last mentioned County and about eighteen miles, more or less, west of the City of Jacksonville aforesaid, and all the branch mains or pipes extending in any direction from said twenty-inch main and the pumping stations, reservoirs, stand pipes, service pipes, meters, boilers, engines, station houses, shops, buildings, structures, erections, fixtures and appurtenances of every kind and description thereunto belonging or in any wise appertaining, together with all the real estate now owned or which may hereafter be acquired by the said Company at the Terminal of its mains or along the line thereof or elsewhere, and also all property, either real, personal or mixed, now owned or which may hereafter be acquired by the said Company, together with all its franchises, rights of way, rights and privileges, and all its tolls, water rents, earnings and income and all of the estate, right, title, interest, property, possession, claim or demand, as well in law as in equity, of the said Company in and to the same and to every part and parcel thereof with the appurtenances."

Also, the following described real estate: Beginning at a rock thirty-five (35) feet and four (4) inches South of the North West corner of the North East quarter of section seventeen (17), in Township Fifteen (15) North and Range Thirteen (13) West of the Third Principal Meridian, which said Rock is upon the South line of the right of way of the Wabash Railway Company, running thence South Twelve (12) chains to a Stone; thence East eight (8) chains and thirty-three and one-third (33 1-3) links to a Stone; thence North Eleven (11) chains and seventy-five links; thence East Thirty-one (31) chains and ninety and two-thirds (90 2-3) links; thence North twenty-five (25) links; thence West forty (40) chains and Twenty-four (24) links to the place of beginning, containing Ten and eight-tenths (10 8-10) acres, situated in the County of Scott and State of Illinois; and also an option, to purchase at any time prior to the 20th day of July, 1915, at the price of \$150.00 per acre, the following described real estate:

The East half of the North West Quarter of Section Seventeen (17), Township Fifteen (15) North, Range Thirteen (13) West of the Third Principal Meridian, in Scott County, Illinois; and the West half of the Northwest Quarter of said Section Seventeen (17), except that part thereof conveyed by the said Henry Oakes and wife to the said The Jacksonville Water Works Company by deed dated July 15, A. D. 1905, which said deed conveyed about ten and eight-tenths (10 8-10) acres of said last described tract of land.

Such sale will be made by the undersigned in accordance with the rules and practice of this Court and upon the following terms and conditions, to-wit: The Plaintiff, of any person interested in said premises, may become a purchaser at said sale which shall be made to the highest bidder for cash, except that for the remainder of the amount of the bid of the bidder to whom said mortgaged plant, premises and property shall be struck off upon the said sale over and above an amount sufficient to pay the costs of this suit and all allowances made by said decree the undersigned will accept in lieu of cash, bonds and overdue coupons secured by the said decree mentioned, each of such bonds and coupons to be received as the equivalent of such sum as the holder thereof would be entitled to receive in case the entire amount of such bid were paid in cash. Upon the completion and confirmation of any sale made under and in pursuance of the said decree, the undersigned, Master in Chancery, will execute and deliver to the purchaser or purchasers of the said mortgaged plant, premises, franchises and property a good and sufficient deed of conveyance thereof. Said sale shall not be subject to redemption.

Walter McClellan Allen, Master in Chancery, Worthington, Reeve & Green, Attorneys for Plaintiff.

LUCY HOKE SMITH A BRIDE  
Washington, D. C., Dec. 30.—Miss Lucy Hoke Smith, daughter of Senator and Mrs. Hoke Smith of Georgia and one of the most popular girls in the official set in Washington, today became the bride of Elsign Alston Simpson, U. S. N., a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson of Fort Gaines, Ga. The wedding had no attendants and only the relatives of the two families and a few intimate friends from the south were in attendance.

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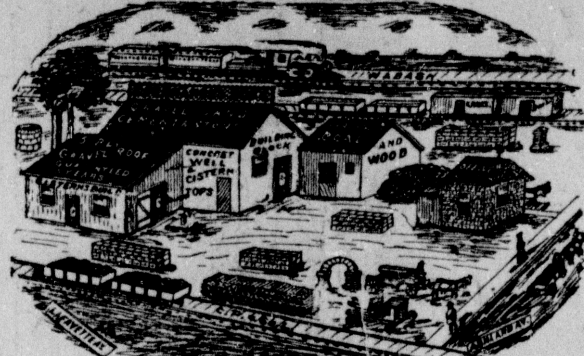
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50.00	18 cents	18 cents	5 cents	13 cents
60.00	20 cents	20 cents	5 cents	15 cents
70.00	22 cents	22 cents	5 cents	17 cents
80.00	25 cents	25 cents	5 cents	20 cents
90.00	28 cents	28 cents	5 cents	23 cents
over 100.00	at above rates	at above rates	over \$100. 5 c each \$100 or fraction thereof	

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## NEW LAWS ON STATUTE BOOKS WILL EFFECT MANY CHANGES

No Free Phone Service After January First—Transportation Companies Make New Rulings—City Light and Water Departments Will Get Full Credit For Service.

The municipal ownership law which went into effect July 1, and the public utilities law which will become effective tomorrow, will bring to pass a great many changes which are not thoroughly understood. Especially in the case of the utilities law there are many provisions which come to light as one gives no measure study.

The utilities law as interpreted by some of the railroads compels them to cease issuing transportation in exchange for newspaper advertising and this is the view taken by the Wabash and the C. P. & St. L. The Illinois Traction will cease issuing free transportation except to employees. Telephone companies have also given notice that all free telephones not provided for in their franchise grants will be taken out.

There will be various changes in the methods of bookkeeping in the water and light departments of the city. Heretofore charge has been made to the electric light plant of the city hall for the water consumed. The light furnished the fire department from the city plant has not been charged for, neither has the heat for the entire city building which is furnished from the light plant. The water used by the city through hydrants in fire fighting must also be charged for.

Through these various charges the revenues of the water department will be greatly increased and the net expense of operating the light plant will be greatly reduced. There will, however, be no more money in the city's coffers and the whole matter will simply be that of bookkeeping. There are distinct advantages in the system, however, for the accounts will be in such shape that the water department will get full credit for the money it earns and the light plant figures will indicate what the exact costs of operation are after giving the plant credit for all service performed.

Under the new laws the city council if it is so desired could lease the city plant for a period of two years or less. For a period longer than that a referendum vote would be required.

In this same connection it is interesting to note that the city council under the public improvement act could, if it desired, construct a new ward light system or some other system by assessing the cost of the improvement against abutting property. The council, however, probably has not yet decided to install a belted generator and a new boiler and to furnish the best lighting service possible through the funds available without forcing any special taxation against property owners.

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### LADIES AID MEETS.

The ladies aid society of the Church of Our Savior held its regular meeting with Mrs. Anton Pieper Tuesday afternoon, the hours being from 2 until 5. After the usual business had been transacted a social time was enjoyed and in the games prizes were awarded to Mrs. William Groves and Miss Mary Magner. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. John Buckley, on North East street, January 14, 1914.

### SPECIAL FOR TODAY CHERRY PIE IDEAL BAKERY, STATE ST.

100,000 TO SING IN NEW YEAR. New York, Dec. 30.—More than 100,000 persons are expected to gather about the community Christmas tree in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night and join in the welcoming song at the birth of the New Year. A band of 75 pieces and a group of several hundred choristers will lead in the musical program.

JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB NOW FORMING THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK

## CITY AND COUNTY

Lee McGinnis has returned from a visit in Arezville.

Oscar Nieman of Arezville paid the city a visit yesterday.

C. C. Self of Woodson was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Fred Goltz made a business trip to Franklin yesterday.

Fred J. Dyer was a city visitor yesterday from Lynnville.

A. H. Schaefer of Chapin paid his city friends a visit yesterday.

Walter Case of Chicago was a visitor in Jacksonville yesterday.

Miss Esther Vassey of Markham was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Edward Seymour of Franklin was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Marshall Stout was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Miss Eva Baxter was among the city visitors yesterday from Woodson.

Richard Clark of Carrollton is in the city for a few days on business.

A. G. Lind of Arcadia was attending to business in the city Tuesday.

J. P. Koyn was among the Murrayville visitors in the city Tuesday.

Dressed chickens. Zell's Grocery.

Frank Worsham was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday from New Salem.

Edgar Cooper of Concord was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Miss Catherine Kaiser of Alexander was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Roy Covington of Manchester was a business visitor with city friends yesterday.

Martin Ryan of Franklin was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Mrs. Ed F. Seymour was among the city visitors yesterday from Franklin.

Miss Nellie Winters of Murrayville was among the city shoppers yesterday.

T. P. Toonens of Springfield was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

D. F. Simmons of Springfield was calling on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

George Coumbes of Lynnville was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Squire J. H. Reekman of Pisgah was looking after affairs in the city yesterday.

Miss Annabel Crum of Litterberry is in the city for a few days' visit with friends.

Miss Louise Strandberg expected to leave today for a visit with friends in St. Louis.

M. C. Thompson of Arcadia was among the Tuesday business visitors in the city.

Grimes Golden Apples 30c peck. Zell's.

C. S. Harris, H. H. Harris, M. W. Harris were all city arrivals yesterday from Pisgah.

George Lukeman of Lukeman Brothers, went to Franklin yesterday on business.

Miss Paul Campbell of Waverly is visiting with Misses Ruth Campbell and Bessie German.

Lee P. Allcott and son William were among the business visitors in Springfield yesterday.

Benjamin Cohen expected to leave this morning for a few days' business trip to Chicago.

Henry Shaw of the vicinity of Joy Prairie was a caller on business men of the city yesterday.

Miss Florence McKnight has returned from Pittsfield where she made a short visit with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Summers of Kansas City are guests at the home of Harry Clemens, 456 South East street.

Sheriff Rogers was a business visitor in Jerseyville yesterday and Deputy Sheriff Todd made a trip to Waverly.

Miss Mary Mandeville of this city and brother Thomas, of Murrayville are making a visit with relatives in O'Neal, Neb.

Large size grape fruit 5c, Zell's.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry R. Summers have returned to their home in Dayton, O., after a visit with friends in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Webb Kirkpatrick of Lafayette, Ind., is visiting at the home of Mrs. James Crdland on South Diamond street.

Rev. F. L. Buck of Normal, an evangelist of the M. E. church, was in the city yesterday. Rev. Mr. Buck has just closed a series of successful meetings near Hannibal.

Bert Jackson, manager of the lumber yard of B. P. Andrews & Co., at Charleston, who has been a guest of his brother, Joseph Jackson, returned to his home Monday.

Mrs. Ollie Givens Moore of St. Louis, a former resident of this city, was in Jacksonville yesterday making arrangements for a hairdressing parlor for colored ladies she expects to open soon.

John and Robert Watt of Havana were in the city yesterday on their way to Naples to attend the funeral of their mother. While here they visited their long time friends, Andre & Andre.

Rev. W. A. Smith, a former pastor of Centenary M. E. church and Rev. Mr. Heninger, both of Bloomington and agents of the Wesleyan fund committee, were in the city yesterday on business.

Mrs. Lottie Henderson Hutchins and little daughter left yesterday for their home in Pullman, near Chicago, after a visit with Mrs. Mrs. Hutchins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Henderson of Litterberry.

Rev. Hevard Leach, a student at Wesleyan who is supplying the Litterberry M. E. circuit, was in the city yesterday for a few hours while on his way to Kansas City to attend the Student Volunteer Missionary convention.

### IS MOVING TO FARM.

Charles Cox of Chambersburg is moving to the Smith farm, east of Jacksonville.

## Don't Cut Your Corn

Don't take chances on trimming a corn with a knife; there is a possibility of your losing your whole foot through blood poisoning through a slight cut when trimming the corn. Now, the sensible thing to do is to get a bottle of

## Green Corn Paint

It will do wonders in the way of removing a corn or bunion, and you run not the least chance of blood poisoning. It is easy to apply and works quickly. A 15c bottle will satisfy you and banish every doubt.

## Armstrongs' Drug Store

THE QUALITY STORE,  
South West Corner Square,  
JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS.

## A Hard Winter is Predicted.

## Coal will be Higher

So why not buy now? We sell the best furnace and stove coal obtainable. A free burning and strong heating coal. Arrange for your winter supply now.

## Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.

Phones 204

## WITH SICK PEOPLE.

Friends of Mrs. Joseph L. Cappa, a patient at Passavant hospital, will be pleased to learn that the lady is much better after the very severe operation she was obliged to undergo. She is improving in a gratifying manner and hopes before very long to be at home again.

E. F. Johnston is confined by illness to his home on North Church street.

Miss Evelyn Shoemaker of 210 Brown street who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is somewhat improved.

The condition of Albert Crum of Litterberry, who has been ill at his home for the past week, was reported slightly worse yesterday.

Mrs. George Thompson is suffering from tonsillitis at her home on South East street.

Miss Nellie Sperry is a tonsillitis victim at her home on South East street.

## ELLIOTT STATE BANK

Transacts a general  
Banking Business  
Three per cent allowed  
on Savings Deposits.

## WATCH SERVICES AT BROOKLYN

There will be a special watch night services at Brooklyn M. E. church this evening in connection with the regular meetings which are in progress every night. The song service will begin at 8 o'clock after which there will be a praise service in charge of the Rev. G. W. Flagg who will preach. From 10 until 11 o'clock there will be a social hour at which light refreshments will be served, free to all. The closing hours will be in charge of the Rev. F. A. McCarty. A cordial welcome is extended to all.

## I. S. D. TO BEGIN TODAY.

Regular work will be resumed today at the Illinois School for the Deaf after a vacation of ten days. Practically all of the students have returned, as well as a number of the teachers who spent their vacations away from Jacksonville. School was continued for a portion of the day for the pupils who remained but the last of the short sessions were held Tuesday. This has been the second Christmas vacation granted the pupil of the School for the Deaf.

## READ THIS

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularity of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Sent for Illinois testimonials, Dr. W. E. Hall, 2925 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold at druggists.—Adv.

## FLORETH COMPANY

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE begins next Monday morning. Silks, Dress Goods, Outing Flannels, new spring Dress Gingham, Percales, Table Linens, Napkins, Ribbons, Underwear, wool Blankets, Dress Skirts, Ladies' Suits, Coats, Millinery, etc. A complete clearance at a reduction of 25-33 and 50 per cent. This Clearance Sale is of great importance to the general public at this season and commands your prompt attention.

ALL FOR CASH.

## FLORETH COMPANY

WE are largely what we are because of the loyal support of our many friends and trust that in the future we may receive, as we shall endeavor to deserve, a continuance of this spirit of friendship, loyalty and co-operation.

At this time therefore, we desire to extend appreciative thanks and most cordial greetings to all of our friends.

May the coming year hold for you only happiness, peace and prosperity.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE

## WOMEN ONLY

Why not put that gold coin you received for Christmas into a useful and lasting article of Furniture, or a Carpet Sweeper, or Vacuum Cleaner.

For the coming week we will sell any woman mentioning this advertisement an \$8 50 E-Z Vacuum Cleaner for **\$7.50**



Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet Club We have concluded to continue the club plan so that you can take advantage of the same.

Pay \$1.00 Now from your Christmas money and \$1 a week that you can easily save from you weekly allowance and be independent for once.

CABINET DELIVERED UPON PAYMENT OF THE FIRST DOLLAR.

## Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

## HILLERBY'S

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

DRY GOODS STORE.

S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Cash Purchases.

## All That's Left of Christmas Goods Must Go.

We put a price on them that says Goodbye.

## One-Third Off

On Leather Novelties, Ivoroid Goods, Writing Paper, Calendars and other Fancy Things for Gifts. We never carry over goods from one season to another.

If you want to spend your Christmas money to advantage, come to the

Safest Place to Trade



To all our friends and patrons we extend the compliments of the season

**Hopper & Son**

**MORTUARY**

**Grady.**

Richard Grady, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Grady, died at his home in Cuba, Ill., Sunday from the effects of an operation for a mastoid abscess. The deceased was a second year student at the Illinois School for the Deaf and had been seriously ill for about two weeks.

**DeFraties.**

The remains of John DeFraties, who passed away at his home in Havana Sunday, were brought to this city Tuesday morning and taken to the Gillham undertaking rooms where funeral services will be held at 10:30 o'clock this morning. Mr. DeFraties, whose death was caused by tuberculosis, was born in Jacksonville forty-eight years ago, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Antonio DeFraties. He is survived by three sisters, Mrs. Helen Padgett and Miss Mayme DeFraties of Chicago and Mrs. Emma Clark of Minnesota; one daughter, Mrs. Tillie Baurer of Henry, Ill., and two sons, Charles of Havana and John of Pekin. Mr. DeFraties was a fisherman by occupation carrying on his trade in the Illinois river.

**Grassly.**

Word was received by relatives in Jacksonville Tuesday of the death of Mrs. Della Grassly, who passed away at 6:30 yesterday evening at her home in Chicago after a prolonged illness. Mrs. Grassly, a native of Griggsville, was a resident of this city for many years, removing to Chicago twelve years ago. She was formerly Miss Della Ingalls. Her husband, Christopher Grassly, who preceded her in death a number of years ago was a brother of Adam F. Grassly of South Clay avenue. William Grassly of Chicago and Mrs. William Luken of East College avenue. She is survived by six children: Roy and Frank Grassly of Chicago, Charles of California, Bert of Salt Lake City and Misses Nellie and Carrie Grassly of Chicago.

Further announcement will be made later regarding the funeral which will be held Thursday from the residence off Mrs. Luken.

**ELLIOTT STATE BANK**

Transacts a general Banking Business  
Three per cent allowed on Savings Deposits.

**INDIANA PROGRESSIVE**

**DEMOCRATS.**  
Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 30.—Leaders of the Progressive Democrats of Indiana met in conference here today to complete a State organization and discuss plans for the future. The Progressives are opposed to the so-called State machine which is controlled by Thomas Taggart of this city and Crawford Fairbanks of Terre Haute.

Miss Velma Nichols, Harry Nichols and William Stacy will be New Year guests of Miss Helen Obermeyer on North Church street.

**Three Days Before Invoicing**

**A Few of the Bargains to Move the Goods Before Jan. 1st**

25 lb sack best sugar.....	\$1.25
Best northern grown potatoes, bu.....	95c
Fancy standard tomatoes, 2½ lb tins, doz.....	1.20
10 bars Sunny Monday Soap.....	40c
Lyndon Hawaiian Pineapple, 2½ lb tin.....	25c
Woodford corn (it's fine), doz.....	1.00
Michigan navy beans, lb.....	5c

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday Only

It is easier to count the cash than the goods. Don't worry about the quality. We have it. Ask for S. & H. green stamps.

**Taylor, the Grocer**  
GOOD THINGS TO EAT

**FUNERALS**

**Tribble.**

Brief funeral services for Clyde Tribble were held at the residence on North West street Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in charge of Rev. Clyde Darsie. The remains were taken to Winchester Tuesday morning at 11:20 o'clock via the Burlington. More extended funeral services will be held at the residence of Oscar Tribble in Winchester this morning at 11 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Winchester cemetery.

**White.**

The funeral of Mrs. Fred White was conducted at 1 o'clock from the M. E. church in Franklin, in charge of Rev. G. W. Flagg of Centenary M. E. church assisted by Rev. Peter Kittel of Franklin. The flowers were in charge of Mrs. Cohagan and Miss Hallie Armstrong. Music was furnished by Misses Lucile Olinger, Ima Berryman, Ona Perkins, Edgar Eador and Elgin Olinger. Miss Mabel Boulware, organist.

The remains were laid to rest in the Franklin cemetery and the bearers were Messrs. William Whalen, James Hocking, Grover Grimsley, Henry Wyatt, Carl Brown and Scott Tranbarger.

**MATRIMONIAL**

**Browne-Hickman.**

Miss Ruth Hickman, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Hickman, formerly of Jacksonville was married in Los Angeles Christmas morning to W. W. Browne of Elizabeth, N. J., now a resident in Los Angeles. The ceremony was solemnized at ten o'clock Christmas morning by Rev. C. O. Johnson of the South Park Baptist church. The witnesses to the ceremony were the bride's brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Preston. Later a dinner was served to the bridal couple and immediate relatives. Mr. Browne holds a responsible position with a large department store in Los Angeles and his bride is highly esteemed by a large circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Browne will reside with Mr. and Mrs. Preston at 1607 East 53rd street, Los Angeles.

**Thornberry-Akers.**

The marriage of J. Orme Thornberry and Miss Elizabeth Akers took place in Chicago Monday. The bride is the foster daughter of Mrs. N. D. Akers of Springfield and for two years was a student at the Illinois Woman's college. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Thornberry of Cambridge, Ohio. He is a member of the Phi Alpha Omega fraternity and holds a responsible position with the National Zinc company, which has a plant located near Springfield.

**NEW YEAR SHOOT.**

Don't forget the poultry shoot, Nichols' Park. New Year's day. Matches to suit everybody. Lunch and a good warm club house, 10 a. m.

**REBELS STEADILY GAIN ON FEDERALS**

(Continued from page one)

of the far north—still have to win against apparently hopeless odds, if they do win.

**Has Orders To Execute Generals**

That the federals will surrender is improbable because General Ortega has explicit orders to execute the so-called volunteers and their commanders, Generals Pascual Orozco, Ynez Salazar, Antonio Rojas, Blas Orpinal, Lazara Alanis and Roque Gomez.

Eighteen hundred volunteers also come under the sentence of death imposed to order of General Villa. That the federals, with all their generals except perhaps General Francisco Castro, General Jos Marcella and General Manuel Landu, of the regulars, will be forced across the line to the United States, was thought on the American side to be most likely.

Gen. Ortega's army, fighting with guerilla tactics, at dawn had gained the foot of a hill three miles from the village. The whole rebel army apparently had come within sight of the village and was clambering up the heights which embrace Ojinaga's smaller hills as in a bowl. From the hillsides there came an unceasing rattle of infantry mingled with the louder crackling of the machine guns.

The rebels, after days of marching, opened the fight with no suggestion of fatigue. All day they kept up a spirited fire with a lull only at intervals.

**Only Wounded Given Assistance**

The land, which slopes down to the shallow and muddy Rio Grande on the American side presented all day the busy aspect of the rear of an army in action. Cavalrymen of the border patrol, which had been increased at this point, galloped along the water's edge, ready to send back any Mexican soldiers who attempted to cross, or to stop a possible general rush of the whole federal army across the border. Only those soldiers who showed signs of being wounded were given assistance.

A few of the citizens who had dared to remain in Ojinaga until the last, came across unmolested. The road leading to Marfa, the nearest railway station, 67 miles away, was plodded by messengers on various errands in connection with the fighting across the river and the fence wire telegraph, used by the United States army was flooded with official messages.

That there was no firing across the border was due chiefly to the fact that Ojinaga stands back from the river. There was no fighting close to the bank. The commanders of each side promised Major McNamee that the range of fire would be directed away from the river if possible.

**Lind Leaves Vera Cruz.**

Vera Cruz, Dec. 30.—By breakfast time New Year's day or soon after that, if no untoward incident occurs, John Lind, President Wilson's personal representative and the president himself will be talking over face-to-face international problems arising out of the Mexican revolution. Mr. Lind left Vera Cruz at six o'clock tonight on board the Chester, the fastest cruiser of the American navy, bound for Christian Miss., where President Wilson is spending his vacation.

**Wilson Will Not Discuss Matter.**  
Pass Christian, Miss., Dec. 30.—President Wilson has given permission to John Lind, his personal representative to Mexico to come here from Vera Cruz for a conference on Mexican affairs. Mr. Lind asked, through the state department whether he could have leave to sail aboard the Cruiser Chester, which was to leave Vera Cruz today and messages passed between Secretary of the Navy Daniels and the president by which the Chester was to be held pending Mr. Lind's decision. Late tonight the president had received no official confirmation as to whether Mr. Lind had availed himself of this opportunity.

The president declined to discuss the matter. It was stated, however, at the president's cottage that if Mr. Lind did come, his visit would be of no special significance and would mean that he wished to report in person more fully and comprehensively than he could cable.

It was learned authoritatively moreover that there was no particular development in the situation which had impelled Mr. Lind to seek an audience with the president at this time.

**MET DEATH BENJATH**

**WHEELS OF RAILROAD CAR**

Lawrence Fanning Who Met With Accident Dies at Hospital in Litchfield—Formerly Resided in Murrayville.

Lawrence Fanning, a former resident of Murrayville met death Tuesday at Litchfield, being run over by railroad car. The accident happened shortly before dinner and the injured man hastened to Litchfield, where he died in a hospital at 1 o'clock. He and his wife had moved from Murrayville to Gillispie last June and he had been working for the Superior Coal Company, as car repairer. His mother on hearing of the accident went to Litchfield.

Mr. Lawrence was the son of Mrs. James E. Fanning of the Nortonville neighborhood and was born Dec. 2, 1890, just having passed his 23rd birthday. He was married Feb. 17, 1911 to Miss Mabel Adkinson of Murrayville and she survives him, together with his mother four sisters, Mrs. Zula Covey, Mrs. Mertie Dalton, Mrs. Nettie McNeely, Miss Nellie Fanning and two brothers, Warren and Harry, all of whom reside in the Murrayville-Nortonville neighborhood. Mr. Fanning was a member of the M. W. A. and of the Union Grove Baptist church. His sudden death comes as a great shock to his relatives and friends. The remains will be brought to his old home for burial.

**WITH THE NEW YEAR**

You may contemplate a new banking connection. **THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY** will welcome your account and invites you to talk with its officers.

**PLAY TO BE GIVEN**

**IN CARLSON'S HALL**

The Murrayville Presbyterian church will give an entertainment in Carlson's hall Thursday evening at 7 o'clock and is free to the public, everyone cordially invited.

The following is the cast of characters of "The Obstinate Family."

Mr. Harwood, father-in-law..... Claude Sandidge  
Mrs. Harwood, mother-in-law..... May Cooper  
Henry Harford..... Victor McAlister  
Jessie Harwood, his wife..... Lula McAlister  
James, Harwood's steward..... Ralph Miller  
Lucy, a stewardess..... Inez Sandidge  
Singing by Short children.  
Recitation—Mrs. Miskell.

**Sweet Hearts.**

Act II—The characters follow: Henry Spreadbrow, Claude Sandidge Wilcox, a gardener..... Victor McAlister  
Miss Jenny Northcott..... Inez Sandidge  
Ruth, her maid servant..... Lula McAlister

If you have delayed buying your winter overcoat or winter wearables you must have them now---the cold winter blasts make it a necessity for your health and absolute economy. Here's a big showing of splendid warm shawl or ulster collar overcoats at

**\$15.00**

Values that you'll be glad to look at



**Sweater Coats**

Heavy shaker knit for all uses, Byron and shawl collar, all colors. For boys men and women.

**\$1 to 7.50**



**MYERS BROTHERS**

**AFTER CHRISTMAS CLEARING SALES**

Began Monday morning, the 29th, and continues the entire week, affording in many sections a greater selection of desirable merchandise than ever before. It is our aim to clear out all odds and ends, broken assortments, soiled or handled merchandise of every description at very sharp reductions in price. Those to whom Christmas brought gifts of money will find its purchasing power greatly increased by taking advantage of the low prices made throughout the store. Here a few of the many items which should interest you:

**Leather Table Scarfs**

All colors. Values up to \$4.50. Each

**\$1.00**

**Brass Candlesticks and Jardineres**

greatly reduced. Some less than

**Half Price**

**German**

**Sewing Baskets**

Seven designs and colorings, worth up to \$10 each,

**33½ pr ct. Discount**

**Leather Pillow Tops**

Air brush colorings, value up to \$6. Each at

**\$2.50**

**Lamps**

Gas, oil and electric, reduced 40 per cent. One specially low. All crystal glass, either gas or electric; only

**\$2.00**

**Smokers and Cellarettes**

All finishes and designs at greatly reduced prices

**Framed Pictures**

About 75 in all, worth up to \$4. This week each

**\$1.00**

**Cups and Saucers**

All imported, worth up to \$2 each. Clearance price this week, choice

**20c**

**Willow Craft and Japanese Baskets**

All designs and colors, baronial green and dark seal brown. Discount

**33½ per cent**

**Art Objects**

A great variety of odd pieces, sharply reduced

**Trays**

All trays, including the Bombay reed, brass and mahogany

**One-third Off**

**Rugs**

25x54, assorted qualities worth up to \$3 each. including Axminster, velvet and Smyrna, at

**\$1.00 Each**

Macey Filing Cabinets and Bookcases

**ANDRE & ANDRE**

The Store of today and tomorrow

The Home of Bucks Stoves and Ranges.



## Heacock Inn

The Service here is  
Satisfactory to Partic-  
ular People,  
Yet the prices  
Are Little

## Heacock Inn

South Side Square,  
Bell 382. Illinois 1040.

## A Bad Fire

When a bad fire visits the  
city you wonder about  
the safety of your prop-  
erty. The best way is  
to carry

## INSURANCE PROTECTION

The cost is low and the  
money will come in  
handy if you have a fire

## L. S. DOANE

Farrell Bank Building

## Get Ready for January

Cold weather is predicted  
for the coming week. Our  
coal and the delivery ser-  
vice will please you.

## R. A. GATES FUEL AND ICE CO.

## CITY AND COUNTY

C. C. Self of Woodson spent yes-  
terday in the city.  
Mrs. Tucker of Chapin was a city  
shopper yesterday.  
George Sturdy of Lynnville paid  
the city a visit yesterday.  
Miss Clara Hoskins of St. Louis  
is visiting friends in the city.  
Grover Grimsley of Franklin was  
an arrival in the city yesterday.  
James Parker, a resident of Lynn-  
ville, was in the city yesterday.  
Mrs. Clark Taylor of Bluffs was  
calling on city friends yesterday.  
Mrs. L. S. Johnson of White Hall  
is a guest of friends in the city.  
C. F. Duckett of Chapin attended  
to business in the city Wednesday.  
Dr. and Mrs. F. M. Roberts of  
Chapin spent yesterday in the city.  
Dr. G. W. Miller was among the  
Woodson visitors in Jacksonville.  
Riley Spaenower, of Pisgah was  
among the city visitors yesterday.  
Mrs. John McGinnis of Litchberry  
was a shopper in the city yesterday.  
Walter Miller of Waverly was a-  
mong the city visitors Wednesday.  
Dressed chickens, Zell's grocery.  
James Sanders of Concord was one  
of the visitors in the city yester-  
day.

W. E. Miller of Waverly was a  
business visitor in the city Wednes-  
day.  
Elmer Roberts of Franklin was a  
business caller in the city Wednes-  
day.

Mrs. L. B. Turner and daughter  
Helen, are guests of friends in Wav-  
erly.

Joe Fligg of Lynnville was a-  
mong the Wednesday visitors in the  
city.

Ark Quinn of Mt. Sterling was a  
business caller in the city yester-  
day.

Dr. W. H. Allen of Waverly was  
transacting business in the city yester-  
day.

H. L. Caldwell is spending today  
at the drainage district in Greene  
county.

A. T. Story of Murrayville was  
among the Wednesday visitors in  
the city.

W. C. Delaney of Nortonville was  
attending to business in the city yester-  
day.

Mrs. John Barber was among the  
Murrayville visitors in the city yester-  
day.

A. W. Crawford of Hillsboro was  
calling on friends in the city yester-  
day.

Mrs. Louis Bishop of Roodhouse  
was among the city shoppers yester-  
day.

Wesley Coumbes of Lynnville was  
transacting business in the city yester-  
day.

Dr. T. M. Watson of Griggsville  
was a professional visitor in the city  
yesterday.

Dressed chickens, Zell's grocery.  
J. W. Schriener and wife of White  
Hall, were among the city arrivals  
yesterday.

Charles Wood of the southeast  
part of the county was in the city  
yesterday.

J. E. Osorne of Murrayville was  
among the business men of the city  
yesterday.

Dr. March of Carrollton was a-  
mong the professional callers in the  
city yesterday.

Alfred Rodems and sister Helen  
are spending today with relatives in  
Greene county.

Lee Rexroat of Concord was a-  
mong the business visitors in the  
city yesterday.

Jacob Helfen of Springfield was  
among the business callers in the  
city yesterday.

Samuel Jumper from the north-  
ern part of the county visited the  
city yesterday.

Vernie Fanning was among the  
Jacksonville visitors Wednesday  
from Nortonville.

J. E. McCreery of Mason City was  
among the Wednesday business vis-  
itors in Jacksonville.

Mrs. J. T. Price of Lincoln, is  
visiting Mrs. George Wumert at 3  
North Diamond street.

Mrs. E. L. Crouch and son Joel  
are visiting for a few days with  
friends in Mt. Sterling.

Country sausage, Zell's grocery.  
Misses Mabelle and Gladys Pas-  
shall of Virginia are visiting their  
aunt Mrs. Gertrude Richardson.

George E. Mathews has returned  
from Terre Haute, Indiana, where  
he went to visit Mr. and Mrs. Isaac  
Powers.

Earl W. Richardson and James  
Guyette are in Roodhouse this week  
in the interest of the French Piano  
company.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Hulse of  
Carlinville are spending the day  
with Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Wiswell of  
West State street.

Hugh Fernandes has returned to  
his home in South Bend, Indiana,  
after a visit with his father and  
sister on Allen avenue.

Miss Mayme Allison and Miss Lu-  
cille Allison are New Year's guests  
at the home of their cousin, Miss  
Edna Allison of Mt. Sterling.

Harry and Gilbert Decker of Al-  
len avenue are spending the holi-  
days with their uncle James Decker  
of the Arnold neighborhood.

Mrs. George Hatzenbuehler has re-  
turned to her home in Bloomington  
after attending the funeral of her  
sister-in-law, Mrs. E. R. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Moses Greenleaf and  
family have returned to Kingman,  
Kas., after a very pleasant visit with  
friends in Jacksonville and vicinity.

Mrs. W. J. Cunningham has re-  
turned to her home in Louisville,  
Ky., after a visit with her sister,  
Miss Violet Mortimer of West Court  
street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Shafer of Waver-  
ly, Iowa, are visiting at the home  
of their daughter, Mrs. H. M. Hop-  
kins, wife of the McFarlan-6 auto  
man.

Country sausage, Zell's grocery.  
Frank Todd has returned from  
Harris, Mo., where he has been vis-  
iting since Friday. He reports busi-  
ness in good shape in northern  
Missouri.

Dr. and Mrs. George Shambaugh  
and children have returned to their  
home in Chicago after a pleasant vis-  
it with relatives and friends in Jack-  
sonville.

Mrs. Kennedy, wife of Dr. W. U.  
Kennedy, of St. Louis, is visiting  
friends in Murrayville and this city.  
She is a daughter of late Dr. C. M.  
Vertrees of Murrayville.

E. P. Gish of New Haven, Conn.,  
was a visitor in the city Tuesday.  
He was enroute to Kansas City to  
attend the quadrennial convention of  
the Student Volunteers of Amer-  
ica.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Wood, who  
have been visiting with relatives in  
Jacksonville and community for  
several months expect to leave Fri-  
day for Los Angeles, Calif., their  
home.

E. C. Herald of Peoria has been  
visiting with his brothers, Edward  
and Charles of this city. He left  
Tuesday for New York City where  
he will visit his sister, Mrs. A. T.  
Hart.

Mrs. Gertrude Richardson of East  
College avenue has returned home  
after a week's visit with relatives at  
Virginia. While there she attended  
a fine Christmas dinner given by her  
sister, Mrs. J. M. Treadway.

N. O. Foreman returned yester-  
day from Brookfield, Mo., where he  
was visiting his son, Frank. He  
was accompanied by his granddaugh-  
ter, Miss Hazel Foreman who will  
be a guest of himself and family  
at their home on Case avenue.

## LEGISLATIVE BODY OF TRAINMEN PAY RESPECTS TO GOVERNOR

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Dec. 31.—  
The legislative committee of the  
Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen  
of Illinois called on Governor Dunne  
and paid their respects to him to-  
day. They were headed by A. D.  
Burbank of Springfield the chair-  
man.

A committee from the engineers,  
conductors, trainmen, firemen,  
brakemen and switchmen's unions  
also waited on the governor and  
asked that he appoint W. H. Devlin  
of Chicago of the Brotherhood of  
Railway Trainmen, a member of the  
public utilities commission and J. S.  
Eubank of East St. Louis another  
member of the Brotherhood of Rail-  
way Trainmen, as an inspector of  
safety appliances.

Mr. Devlin is a conductor on the  
Illinois Central railroad.

"The butter that's better—Jack-  
sonville Creamery. For sale by all  
grocers."

## ANNUAL BANQUET OF GALLAUDET CLUB

Was Held at Pacific Hotel—Election  
Part of Program.

The Gallaudet club consisting of  
deaf gentlemen residing in Jack-  
sonville held its annual banquet at  
the Pacific hotel last evening in pur-  
suance of a long established custom  
of watching the old year out.

They elected officers for 1914 as fol-  
lows:

President—D. W. George.  
First vice president—Lee Huff.  
Second vice president—Hiram  
Huff.

Secretary—Ernest Tilton.  
Treasurer—W. J. Tilton.

The balance of the evening was  
spent in social converse. It was  
an enjoyable affair in every respect.  
Among the guests from out of the  
city were Charles Rogers of Canton,  
Alfred Schultz, Burlington, Ia.; Fen-  
nard Herring, Springfield.

OFFICE SUPPLIES.  
LEDGERS.  
JOURNALS.  
DAY BOOKS.  
BARGAIN BOOK STORE.

## BARBERS WILL HOLD FIRST ANNUAL BANQUET

The officials of the Barber's  
union are completing preparations for  
their first annual banquet which will  
be held in the Haxby building, 214  
South Main street, this evening at  
7 o'clock. An excellent musical pro-  
gram has been arranged and a tip-  
top menu provided for and the men  
of the union will without doubt in-  
augurate their new custom with a  
successful banquet.

You will get the best in product  
and service if your cream, milk and  
butter come from the Jacksonville  
Creamery Co.

## PROF. AND MRS. FURR GUESTS IN THE CITY

Prof. and Mrs. W. A. Furr, are  
guests in the city at the home of Mr.  
and Mrs. L. S. Doane. Prof. Furr  
has been to Indiana, called there on  
account of the serious illness of his  
father. Mrs. Furr has been visiting  
her old home in Ottawa, Ill. They  
will visit briefly here and then re-  
turn to Carbondale, Ill., where Mr.  
Furr is head of the model school of  
the Southern Illinois Normal.

## JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB NOW FORMING THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK

MOSCOW RAY CO.

The annual meeting of members  
of Moscow Ray Co., will be held at  
the Jacksonville National Bank in  
Jacksonville Thursday, Jan. 8,  
1914 at 2 p. m.

F. L. Sharp, Pres.  
W. L. Fay, Secretary.

## SPECIAL FOR TODAY PUMPKIN AND MINCE PIES IDEAL BAKERY, E. STATE ST.

CARD OF THANKS.  
We wish to thank the many friends  
who have assisted us during the last  
illness and after the death of our  
father, John DeFrates.

## SPECIAL FOR TODAY PUMPKIN AND MINCE PIES IDEAL BAKERY, E. STATE ST.

BREAK ALL RECORDS.  
Detroit, Mich., Dec. 31.—Detroit  
bank clearings of 1913 broke all lo-  
cal records with a total of \$1,331,-  
053.395.

This was an increase of \$203,075,-  
335 over last year.

## THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY

is more than a mere store-house  
for money. The many-sided personal  
service rendered its customers makes  
them feel that their business is ap-  
preciated.

YOUR account invited.

## BUTCHERED MANY HOGS.

Douglas Smith has returned from  
the Prentice and Litchberry neigh-  
borhood where he has been butcher-  
ing hogs for several days. He re-  
ports that he has dressed over 30  
porkers for various people.

## FOR THE NEW YEAR. START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT, WITH A QUART OF OUR NEW MAPLE TUTI FRUTI ICE CREAM. IT CERTAINLY MAKES A PLEASING DESSERT, AND WILL HELP YOU TREMENDOUSLY IN FACING THE TRIALS OF A NEW YEAR. WE ALSO HAVE FRESH SALTED ALMONDS AND SUCH CANDIES FOR YOUR NEW YEARS TABLE. THE TELEPHONE NUM- BER IS 227.

VICKERY & MERRIGAN.

## WILL RESIDE IN SOUTH.

Mrs. Percy Capps left Wednes-  
day for Fort Davis, Texas, where  
she will be joined by her husband.  
They will reside on a farm owned  
by Mr. Grierson, son of the late  
General B. H. Grierson.

As Dec. 31st marks the  
close of our business  
year we would appreci-  
ate a prompt settlement  
of all accounts.

*Harmon's*  
DRY GOODS STORE

## REMEMBERS STORM WHICH RAGED FIFTY YEARS AGO.

J. H. Hackett Recalls That Bad  
Weather Put Stop to Business—  
Tells of Trip to Square From In-  
sane Hospital.

J. H. Hackett when asked about  
the big storm of fifty years ago said  
that he had very distinct recollec-  
tions of it. At that time Mr. Hack-  
ett was buyer for Central Insane  
hospital and lived at the institution.  
It was his custom to drive down  
town every morning and make the  
purchases of goods needed. The  
morning after the night on which the  
storm started he drove to the square  
in a sled accompanied by Dr. Ten-  
ney of the hospital staff. At the  
time he started he had no idea how  
low the thermometer had registered  
or how severe and biting the wind  
had been. Arrived at the square,  
however, the men found that busi-  
ness had been practically abandoned  
and that very few stores were open.  
People were unable to stand the  
extreme cold. On the return trip  
to the hospital Mr. Hackett and Dr.  
Tenney had to keep handling the  
lines from one to the other and rub-  
bing each other's ears and noses to  
keep from freezing.

TO THE PUBLIC.  
IN ALL SINCERITY AND FROM  
THE FACT OF YOUR ASSISTANCE  
IN THE SUCCESS OF MY BUSI-  
NESS DURING THE MANY YEARS  
OF MY LONG CAREER I  
BEG TO THANK YOU MOST  
HEARTILY AND EXTEND TO YOU  
A CORDIAL GREETING AND MY  
BEST WISHES FOR A RECEPTION  
OF THE COMING YEAR OF THE  
VERY BEST RESULTS FOR YOUR  
HAPPINESS AND PROSPERITY  
AND TRUST THAT OUR BUSINESS  
METHODS MAY BE AS MUTUALLY  
SATISFACTORY IN THE FUTURE  
AS IN THE PAST.  
MOST RESPECTFULLY YOURS,  
J. HEIGMAN.

## RELEASED ON OWN RECOGNIZANCE.

Eugene Kiernan who was recently  
found guilty on a charge of forgery  
has been shown special clemency of  
circumstances connected with the  
case and has been released on his  
own recognizance.

Frost & Nolley Shoes offer the  
highest quality in footwear.

## Grand Opera House

Picture Program for  
Today

"JIMMIE'S FINISH"—A side  
splitting comedy presented by Kalem  
"THE POISONED STREAM"—A  
fine western pathplay presented by  
Essanay Co.

"THE YOUNGER GENERATION"  
—A good comedy-drama that shows  
an elegant home is not essential to  
a beautiful soul. An Edison Photo-  
play.

"PLAYING THE PIPERS"—An-  
other side-splitting comedy featuring  
Hughie Mack and Charley Brown.  
Vitagraph.

## THURSDAY SPECIAL FEATURE

"A MODERN PORTIA"—An Es-  
sanay Pathplay in two very inter-  
esting parts, modernizing the an-  
cient Shakesperian Portia.

WESTHUS & BOYD, artistic  
singing, talking and character ar-  
tists. All the latest dances.

We Extend Herewith

## New Year's Greetings

and our best wishes for the year  
1914. We are grateful for the  
generous patronage extended  
during the past twelve months  
and will make every effort to  
merit a continuance of your ap-  
proval during the year just  
starting.

## Geo. T. Douglas

Our Stores Will Close at Noon Today

Mild But Full Flavored

## C. C. C. 5c CIGAR

Is a "Blessing" to the man who wants a  
good smoke but doesn't want it  
to hurt him.

## Ask Your Neighbor

The practicability of the following gifts for Xmas  
is evidenced by their daily use. Ask your neighbor.

Electric Irons, Heating Pads,  
Toaster Stoves, Gas Irons,  
Percolators, Vacuum Cleaners,  
Tea Samovars, Chafing Dish.

And numerous other labor-saving devices for the  
household. Come and see our extensive Xmas line.

## Jacksonville Railway & Light Co.

## We Wish You All a Prosperous New Year.

If you once get the idea of your advantage in  
this special

## CLEARANCE SALE OF WINTER SUITS AND OVERCOATS

and then get one or more of the same, you will want to give  
us a vote of thanks for making it possible to get such suits at  
such prices.

A. W. H. L'S SUITS AT \$27 AND UP



## Three Good Things We Pride Ourselves On

1st: New York State pure full Cream Cheese. If you like cheese that is good, try ours.

2nd: Our Neptune Coffee; its surely the best we have ever offered to our customers—and we care not where you buy or what price you pay. Neptune at 30c per pound is a winner.

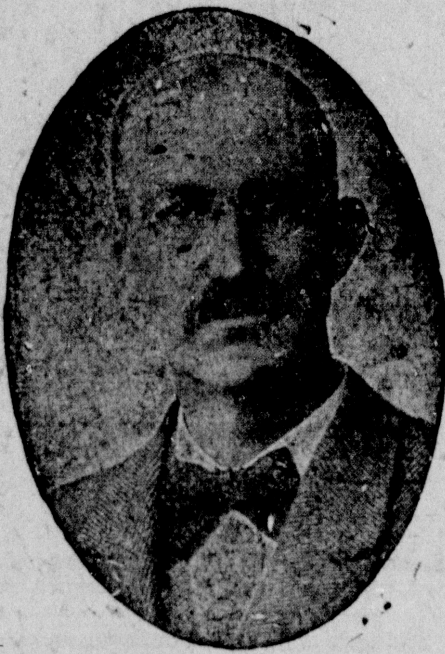
3rd: Our North Dakota Early Ohio Potatoes are fine. We got them before the frost hit them. They cook mealy and white. You can get cheaper potatoes, but none better than ours.

## ZELL'S GROCERY

### 742 N. Main St.---A Holiday Bargain

Eight rooms and all modern conveniences, in excellent condition. Good barn and hen house; paved street and concrete walks, large lot with ample yard, garden, poultry yard and barn lot; one 5 blocks from square. Can be bought at low price with liberal loan. Call in person for price do not phone.

THE  
JOHNSTON  
AGENCY



## Make a Good Beginning

You will start the year of 1914 properly if you bring your garments here for cleaning and pressing. We can give you the best of service at the most reasonable prices.

### French Dry Cleaned and Pressed

#### GENT'S LIST

Suits	.....\$1.00
Overcoats	.....\$1.00
Coats	.....50c
Pants	.....50c
Vests	.....25c
Sweaters	.....35c

#### LADIES' LIST

Suits	.....\$1.00
Longcoats	.....\$1.00
Dresses	.....\$1.00
Jackets	.....50c
Waists	.....50c
Skirts	.....50c
Sweaters	.....35c

Gents' Suits and Overcoats, Ladies' Suits and Long Coats, Steamed, Sponged and Pressed 35c

## Sanitary Cleaning Shop

214 S. Sandy St.

Both Phones 631

## DEATH SUMMONS CAME TO JAMES T. KING

PROMINENT CITIZEN DIED SUD-  
DENLY AT EARLY HOUR WED-  
NESDAY.

Attack of Grippe Resulted in Heart  
Complications Which Weakened  
System Could Not Stand—Has  
Spent Practically Entire Life in  
Jacksonville—Prominent in Busi-  
ness and Political Life.

James T. King, long a prominent citizen and business man of Jacksonville and a former mayor of the city died Wednesday morning at 6:45 o'clock at his residence 1047 West State street. Although Mr. King had been in failing health for several years past the end came unexpectedly. Tuesday he was about the house as usual and when he retired at night his condition was not such as to give much alarm. Shortly after midnight however, his condition became serious and he continued to grow weaker until his final hour. Death was due to heart complications resulting from an attack of la grippe.

#### Born in Chicago.

Mr. King was the son of Willis and Abigail King and was born in Chicago, Oct. 12, 1845. The parents came west from New England, the ancestry tracing back to good old English stock. While James King was still a child the family moved to Jacksonville and the father engaged in the lumber business, being attracted to the city by the fact that he was interested in the building of Central Insane hospital.

As a boy and young man Mr. King attended the schools of Jacksonville and later his education was broadened by extensive reading and travel. February 7, 1871 he was married to Miss Ella S. Atwater. They had no children but adopted their niece Miss Isabelle Dickinson now Mrs. U. G. Woodman of this city who came to be as loved a member of the family circle as an own daughter could have been. Mrs. King died Nov. 22, 1905 and February 20, 1908 Mr. King was married to Mrs. Lillian Woods Osborne who survives him.

Mr. King was a member of a large family of children, the only one surviving now being Mrs. Mary Taylor Dickinson, his sister, who resides in St. Louis. Mr. King was a Mason and a member of the Elks but was not associated with any other fraternal organizations. He was a member of Harmony lodge No. 3, Jacksonville Chapter and Hospitalier Commandery, Knights Templar, and also held membership in the Peoria Council of the Mystic Shrine.

As a young man he was an attendant of the Congregational church but of late years he has been affiliated with State Street Presbyterian church.

#### Conspicuous in Business Circles.

Practically all of Mr. King's life was spent in Jacksonville and for years he was a conspicuous figure in the business circles of the city. He began his career as a merchant in a building which stood on the ground now occupied by the Waddell store at the southeast corner of the square, the firm name being King & Gill. Prior to that date Mr. King had been in the store owned by W. C. Woodman, one of the successful merchants of his day. From Mr. Woodman he acquired many of the qualities which contributed to his own success in later years.

For a time Mr. King conducted a dry goods store in the room now occupied by Phelps & Osborne, one half of the store being utilized by Dobyns Brothers, dealers in shoes. Subsequently Mr. King built the Trade Palace building on the east side of the square, now occupied by the Kresge store. There he conducted an extensive dry goods business for a period of ten years at which time he sold his business to William Patterson of Buffalo, N. Y. He continued to hold the ownership of the building and it is now a part of his estate. Various other business enterprises occupied Mr. King's attention and for a number of years he operated the knitting works in the building now owned by the Jenkinson Bode company. Following his retirement from this business Mr. King devoted his attention to his mining and ranch properties in the west.

Along with his brother, Dr. W. H. H. King and Allan Mason of Tacoma, Wash., Mr. King acquired some extensive mining interests in Colorado. Some other Jacksonville people were somewhat interested in the enterprise and for a number of years it proved very profitable. Mr. King's holdings in the west also included a ranch in the Yellowstone country. It adjoined a similar piece of property owned by Col. Theodore Roosevelt and it is related that Mr. King and Mr. Roosevelt were companions on various hunting expeditions.

#### Active in Politics.

For a goodly number of years Mr. King took an active part in political affairs. In 1889 he was elected mayor of the city and previous to that time had served as a member of the city council. During his term of office as mayor he gave Jacksonville one of the strictest administrations that the city has known. He believed in strict law enforcement and took the view that the citizens at large wished to have ordinances enforced or they would not have been placed upon the statute books. It so happened that he enforced very strictly saloon regulations and also some laws relating to Sunday closing which prior to that time had remained as dead letters on the statute books.

Mr. King himself used to say that his administration was not of the popular kind, but that he was following in the line of duty as he saw it. While the strict policies which he adhered to caused some opposition at the time it was nevertheless seen that with passing years

the people came to a clearer recognition of the fact that he gave Jacksonville a high class business administration.

Commissioner to Paris Exposition. Mr. King's political interests however were not confined to Jacksonville and he was honored in various ways, both by state and national officials. In 1897 he was appointed by Governor Tanner a commissioner from Illinois to the centennial exposition at Nashville. Two years later President McKinley selected him as United States commissioner to the international exposition at Paris, an important position he was especially well qualified to fill. During Governor Tanner's administration he was high in the state councils of his party and along with Charles S. Rannels, F. L. Stevens and Dr. F. C. Winslow and some other Morgan county politicians was often in consultation with the state executive. While he sought no special preferment at the hands of the administration he nevertheless gained a wide and influential acquaintanceship.

Man of Marked Courtesy. Mr. King was a man of positive likes and convictions and it was difficult to change his opinions when once well grounded. He was however one of the most courteous and considerate of men and unfailing in cordiality and good fellowship. To old and young to men of high or low degree he never forgot to exhibit a friendly spirit and while there was about him a distinct dignity and reserve, the kindly courtesy of his spirit overshadowed all.

During recent years Mr. King has spent several winters in the south and returned but a week since from Oklahoma where he and Mrs. King spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Crabtree. It was their plan to leave soon for Biloxi, Miss., to remain until early spring as no serious end was expected to the attack of grippe which Mr. King suffered. But as related above a sudden change came early Wednesday morning.

By Mr. King's death another citizen who has ever stood for the best and highest in Jacksonville and who has contributed largely to the upbuilding of the city has gone on to the final reward which is given to those who live lives of large usefulness.

The funeral will be held at the residence tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Best cream and milk, delivered any time. Jacksonville Creamery Co. Either phone.

L. V. BALDWIN WILL WED MISS  
SYLVAN PEAK AT WALNUT, KAN.

Ceremony Will Take Place at Noon  
Today—Are Expected in City  
About January 10.

At high noon today at the home of the bride in Walnut, Kan., the marriage of L. V. Baldwin and Miss Sylvan Peak will take place. They are expected to arrive in this city, where they will make their home, about January 10.

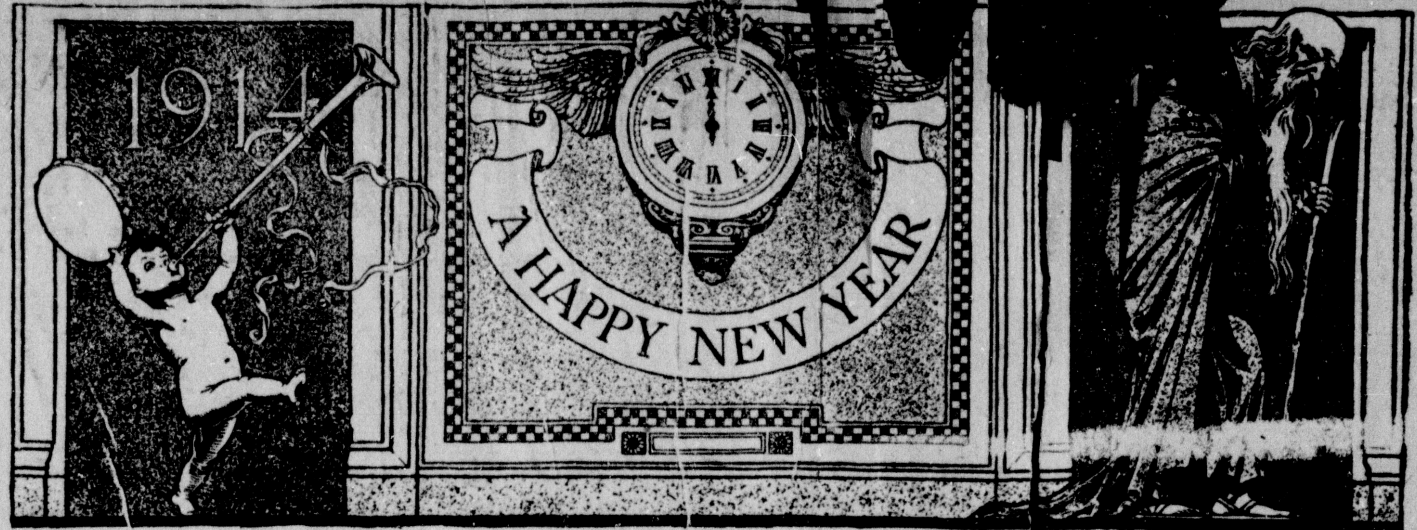
Miss Peak is a daughter of J. B. Peak and is well known in this city where she resided until a few years ago. Mr. Baldwin, whose home is in Baxter, Kan., is a member of the Jacksonville Engineering company, and has resided in this city for a number of years, having first come here in the employ of the late Chas. W. Brown. Both have a host of friends who will extend their congratulations.

WITH THE NEW YEAR  
You may contemplate a new  
banking connection.  
THE FARMERS STATE BANK  
AND TRUST COMPANY  
will welcome your account  
and invites you to talk  
with its officers.

"MAKING THE MOST"  
(Baltimore Sun.)

Making the most of life's the thing. Singing, if it is your gift to sing. Hoeling, if it is your gift to hoe. Glowing, if it is your gift to glow. Making the most of life—that's all. Answering with all your heart the call.

Meeting the issue and standing pat. On whatever the toll of life finds you at. Sure in your own heart you're trying to do That toll best it has ever been done. A whole world wide and a whole world through Since the very first era of toll begun.



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IF you have as good a New Year as we wish for you, there will be nothing left for you to desire. If we can contribute in any way toward making our wish come true, we shall be glad to do it; come and tell us about it.

### HART SCHAFFNER & MARX

clothes are here all the time, and will continue to be; they're our way of doing the best we can for you in men's and young men's clothes.

Suits and overcoats \$18 to \$50

T. M. TOMLINSON

## We Extend Greetings

With expressions of appreciation for liberal patronage of the past year we extend our cordial good wishes to all our friends for their prosperity in 1914.

## GRAHAM HARDWARE COMPANY

The Store That Sells Estate Stoves

#### AT WESTMINSTER CHURCH

At Westminster church last night the preparatory communion service was held and afterward there was a social hour. The members brought refreshments with him and the occasion proved to be a very pleasant one.

## G E M THEATRE

North Side Square

The home of the exclusive  
service program.

### The Hand of the Law

A Warner Three-Reel  
Feature.

Other Good Pictures Too

Coming Friday

The gorgeous "Lady of  
the Lake."

Adults 10c. Children 5c

#### MORE PEOPLE EAT

## Frank's Malt Bread

than eat of any other kind—and have for a long, long time. A more sincere or trustworthy recommendation would be hard to get.

## Your Grocer Has It

The same is true of their pies, cakes, buns, etc. TRY THEM.

## JOHN FRANK

Baker—Grocer—Distributor.

Either Phone 297

Jacksonville, Ill.

## Ladies' and Gent's Tailoring

500 Samples to select from, also from your own cloth  
Cleaning, Alterating and Repairing

## C. V. FRANKENBERG

South East Corner Square

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Supply Your 1914 Insurance Needs

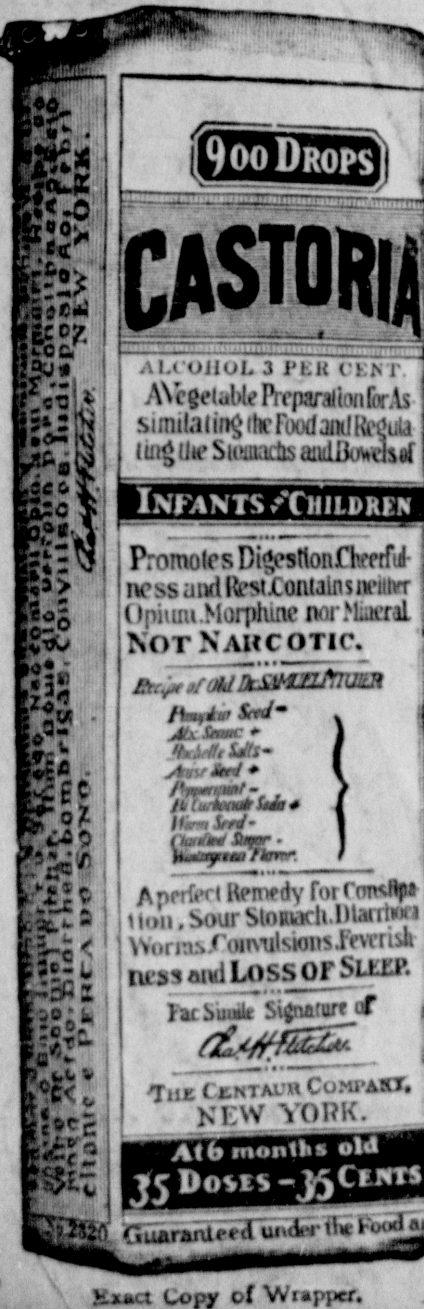
Life. Accident and Health. Fire. Automobile. Steam  
Boiler. Liability.

WE TRANSACT A GENERAL INSURANCE BUSINESS.

305 Ayers Bank Building. Both Phones 783

HORACE H. BANCROFT.

IRVING W. KING



## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.

The Kind You Have  
Always Bought

Bears the  
Signature

of

*John H. Fletcher*  
In Use For Over  
Thirty Years  
CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.



## How'd You Like To Get a Check

A Couple of Weeks Before Christmas  
Just in Time to Buy Your Presents?

That's just what you will do, and you will hardly realize where it came from, if you join our

### Christmas Savings Club

Join NOW by making the first weekly payment. If you can't come, send it by mail or get some one to bring it for you.

This is Worth Serious Thought

The Ayers National Bank

## Kill The Dandruff

Dandruff is primarily a germ disease which if allowed to continue will ultimately destroy your hair. Kill the dandruff germs. Invigorate the scalp and give your hair greater vitality by using

### Hirsutone Hair Tonic

Makes the hair grow luxuriantly. Imparts new life and vitality.

50c the bottle.

### Armstrongs' Drug Store

THE QUALITY STORE.  
South West Corner Square.  
JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS.

## A Hard Winter is Predicted. Coal will be Higher

So why not buy now? We sell the best furnace and stove coal obtainable. A free burning and strong heating coal. Arrange for your winter supply now.

## Snyder Ice & Fuel Co.

Phones 204

### SECURES POSITION IN JOLETT SCHOOLS

William L. Alcott to Teach Manual Training in Northern City.

The many friends of William L. Alcott will be glad to learn that he has been appointed an instructor in the Manual Training department of the public schools of Joliet, of which schools, R. O. Stoops, former principal of the Jacksonville high school, is superintendent.

Mr. Alcott graduated from the local high school with the class of 1913 and last September received the appointment of assistant instructor to Miss Anna Brown, director of the Manual Training department of J. H. S. The efficient work which characterized his efforts during his school days has been manifest in his office as an instructor, and it was through his ability in this department, that his promotion comes. His new position will carry with it greater responsibilities and at the same time will give him a broad opportunity to advance. The many friends of Mr. Alcott feel sure that he will make good and extend congratulations to him and wish him an abundance of success. Perhaps no young man in the local high school has been more inseparably associated with all school activities and his invaluable services along this line will be greatly missed by the school management here. Mr. Alcott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lee P. Alcott of 1926 West College avenue.

### ELLIOTT STATE BANK

SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.  
Interest allowed on Savings Deposits at rate of 3 per cent per annum. Savings Deposits received on or before JANUARY 10th will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

### WILL CONSIDER COMPLAINTS IN ORDER OF FILING.

A Jacksonville citizen who was in Springfield yesterday happened to meet Ex-Gov. Yates and Frank Funk members of the utility commission. In answer to the question as to what manner complaints would be heard they said it had already been agreed that complaints will be given consideration in the order of their filing. The said that if any city thought that a utility company was charging too much for service that a complaint should be filed with the board and that it would be given attention and investigation as speedily as possible.

### READ THIS

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularity of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for Illinois testimonials. Dr. W. E. Hall, 1935 Olive street, St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.—Adv.

### S. & G. CIGARS HAVE BEEN POPULAR FOR EIGHTEEN YEARS

Well Known Brand Is Manufactured By Anton Graef Who is Today One of City's Substantial Business Men.

Anton Graef, proprietor of the Graef cigar factory has been manufacturing and selling the "S. & G." cigar for eighteen years. Through all that long period the popularity of the brand has continued to grow and for the very reason that the quality has been faithfully maintained and smokers have learned that "S. & G." cigars prove in the smoking that the tobacco has been carefully chosen and that skilled workmen have made them.

With passing time the demand for this brand has increased in such a way that Mr. Graef now spends much of his time in other counties calling on dealers. His business is conducted along such high class lines that a customer once secured is pretty sure to remain one and he accords a square deal to everyone. Mr. Graef by strict attention to business has prospered in a financial way and he is now considered one of the substantial business men of Jacksonville. Indications are that the Graef factory will continue the making of "S. & G." cigars in larger numbers as the years go by.

FOR SAFETY.—For Convenient location—For prompt and courteous service—For three per cent interest on savings—Start your account with the Bank of F. G. FARRELL & CO.

### DUNNE TO NAME UTILITY BOARD MEMBER FRIDAY

Governor Dunne announced Wednesday that there would be no more appointments until Friday. On that day he will officially appoint James E. Quan and Walter A. Shaw of Chicago, democrats, Richard Yates, republican, Frank H. Funk, progressive, minority men, and one other democrat as members of the state utilities commission. George W. Pittman of Newton, probably will be the fifth man.

The statement by the governor that Quan probably will be chairman of the new commission has given support to the rumors that he has been placed on the commission with the understanding that he will serve for only one year and then make place for William L. O'Connell, whose term as county treasurer of Cook county will then have expired. This rumor has been emphatically denied by the governor, but it persists nevertheless.

### JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB NOW FORMING THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK

### REMEMBERS THE STORM.

Frank Wiggins of the southeast part of the county was calling on some of his city friends yesterday. He remarked that he vividly remembered fifty years ago Tuesday night which was the date of the widely spread storm which swept over so large a part of the country.

Mr. Wiggins was a member of the 5th Iowa Cavalry in the civil war and the troops were being mustered and gathered together at that time and it was indeed a cold, shivery and a chilly introduction into the service but the boys of the Fifth made things hot enough plenty of times while riding for their country. Mr. Wiggins is about 72 years old though he would easily pass for ten years younger and he bids fair to live for a good many years to come.

### OFFICE SUPPLIES.

LEDGERS,  
JOURNALS,  
DAY BOOKS,  
BARGAIN BOOK STORE.

### RETURN FROM PLEASANT VISIT

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Lippincott have returned from a very pleasant holiday visit of several weeks which took them into Iowa and Kansas. At Whiting, Iowa they were guests of their daughter Mrs. Lucia Lippincott Smith and at Manhattan, Kansas spent the time at the home of their son Prof. W. A. Lippincott, head of the poultry husbandry department of the University of Kansas.

### CITY AND COUNTY

Mrs. Mary Cotten from Quincy is visiting relatives in the city.

J. M. McCarty of Manchester was among the city visitors yesterday.

M. B. Parker of Ottawa was among the city business men yesterday.

Otto Hilberer of Warsaw was calling on Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Lee H. Blair of Chandierville made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Clark Taylor of Bluffs was shopping with city merchants yesterday.

W. C. Cook of Murrayville was attending to business in the city Wednesday.

E. B. Richards of Palonia was calling on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Mrs. Homer Hanks of Winchester was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Frances Bennett of Prentice made a shopping trip to the city yesterday.

C. L. Beerup and son Otto were visitors in the city yesterday from Alexander.

Mrs. Athen Bryan of Lowder made a visit with Jacksonville people yesterday.

William Mack of Edwardsville was among the business men of the city yesterday.

Misses Edith and Della Neal were representatives of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

W. E. Miller and C. L. Campbell were representatives of Waverly in the city yesterday.

Miss Inez Sawyer of Bluffs is a guest of Miss Augusta Carlson of South East street.

Miss Daisy Conway of Chandierville was shopping with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Misses Mary and Elizabeth Rief of Alexander are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gibeort Masters.

Miss Mary Martin has returned from a holiday visit with her sister Mrs. George Phillips of Pawnee, Okla.

Powers orchestra will go to Pittsfield today to play a return dance given by the Beaumont club there tonight.

Mrs. C. F. Kehl and two children have returned to their home in Mexico, Mo., after a visit with relatives in Woodson.

Mrs. Emma Smith of 715 North Daoud street received a fine New Year's cake for Mrs. Frazier Pillars of Canton, Ill.

Clifford Wood, Roy McPherson and Howard Moore have all gone to Creasy Prairie in the southeast part of the county for a week's hunting.

Mrs. William Floreth and children have returned from Centralia where they have been visiting Mrs. Floreth's mother, Mrs. Huntington.

Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Ayers of Divide, Montana, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ayers returned to Springfield Wednesday evening.

Miss Dorothy Sargent of Franklin was a visitor in the city yesterday and attended the Rebekah celebration last night in honor of Mrs. O. E. Tandy.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rodems and daughters Edith and Esther have returned to their home on East State street, after a visit with relatives in Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tremblett have returned to their home on North Church street, after spending several days with their children in Des Moines, Ia.

George S. Franz and Miss Mildred Henry have returned to their home in Corydon, Iowa, after a visit at the home of Mrs. Henry Franz on Grove street.

Henry and Homer Lindsay have returned to their home in Chicago after visiting at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lindsay on West North street.

Miss Pauline Jones has returned from a visit with relatives in Columbus, Ohio and Miss Alice Coburn from Chicago. Both are teachers at the state school for the deaf.

Miss Elizabeth Tendick of the force at the extensive store of F. J. Waddell and Co., expected to go to Decatur today to visit her sister, Mrs. Vahe and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Sulter of Peoria expected to return home today after a visit with Mr. Sulter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sulter of this city, and Mrs. Sulter's mother, Mrs. Anna Ferguson and family of this city.

Howard B. Hodgson shipped two barred Plymouth rock cockerels recently to a fancier in Mississippi, establishing a distance record, almost, for Morgan county birds. Mr. Hodgson has won a number of prizes with his birds this year at several shows in nearby counties.

Last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asa Robinson, 852 North Main street, a dance was given by their son Frank, in honor of his friend, Clarence Ratcliffe of Grinnell, Iowa. About 25 couples were present and the whole affair passed off in a delightful manner.

James Kolp, who has been spending the Christmas vacation here left yesterday for Sioux City, Ia., to resume his studies at Morning Side College. He went by way of Kansas City and will attend the national convention of the Students Forward Movement as a delegate from his college.

### YOUR BANK

Make THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY Your bank—yours for everything within the limits of safe banking.

### IN THE COUNTY COURT.

In the county court Wednesday charges of delinquency were brought against Belle Truax and Jesse Goacher. Judge Brockhouse continued both hearings until January 5.

On motion of the people charges against the following for gambling have been dismissed, Stephen Seymour, Kennett Cline, George Vancil, Grant Tannehill, H. J. Cullum, R. A. Duncan, William Richardson, Edna Jones, J. H. Hoots and J. H. Campbell.

WE are largely what we are because of the loyal support of our many friends and trust that in the future we may receive, as we shall endeavor to deserve, a continuance of this spirit of friendship, loyalty and co-operation.

At this time therefore, we desire to extend appreciative thanks and most cordial greetings to all of our friends.

May the coming year hold for you only happiness, peace and prosperity.

MONTGOMERY & DEPPE

## WOMEN ONLY

Why not put that gold coin you received for Christmas into a useful and lasting article of Furniture, or a Carpet Sweeper, or Vacuum Cleaner.

For the coming week we will sell any woman mentioning this advertisement an \$8.50 E-Z Vacuum Cleaner for **\$7.50**



### Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet Club

We have concluded to continue the club plan so that you can take advantage of the same.

Pay \$1.00 Now

from your Christmas money and \$1 a week that you can easily save from you weekly allowance and be independent for once.

CABINET DELIVERED UPON PAYMENT OF THE FIRST DOLLAR.

Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie

## HILLERBY'S

SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

DRY GOODS STORE.

S. & H. Green Trading Stamps With Cash Purchases.

All That's Left of Christmas  
Goods Must Go.

We put a price on them that says Goodbye.

### One-Third Off

On Leather Novelties, Ivoroid Goods, Writing Paper, Calendars and other Fancy Things for Gifts. We never carry over goods from one season to another.

If you want to spend your Christmas money to advantage, come to the

Safest Place to Trade

## FLORETH COMPANY

ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE begins next Monday morning. Silks, Dress Goods, Outing Flannels, new spring Dress Gingham, Percales, Table Linens, Napkins, Ribbons, Underwear, wool Blankets, Dress Skirts, Ladies' Suits, Coats, Millinery, etc. A complete clearance at a reduction of 25-33- and 50 per cent. This Clearance Sale is of great importance to the general public at this season and commands your prompt attention.

ALL FOR CASH.

FLORETH COMPANY



To all our friends and patrons we extend the compliments of the season

# Hopper & Son

Every account on our books is now due. We solicit a prompt settlement of the same.

## MORTUARY

### Weeks.

Arthur Weeks, who has been ill for several weeks passed away at midnight Wednesday, at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Weeks, 422 Jordan street.

He was born December 29, 1880, having just passed his 33rd birthday. He was married June 22, 1909 to Miss Lillian Niemah of Arenzville and she survives him and one son Clinton. Besides his parents, he leaves the following brothers and sisters, Lillian, Elsie, Mona of this city, Mrs. Ada Liston and George Weeks of Peoria.

No funeral arrangements have been made.

### Thompson.

Mrs. John Thompson died at the residence of her son, Charles Thompson, 1132 South Main street, Wednesday afternoon at 3:50 o'clock.

Mrs. Thompson was born in Ahadulla, County Tyrone, Ireland, in 1821 and her maiden name was Ann Chittick. She came to America in 1855 and in 1856 was married to John Thompson at Beardstown. Mrs. Thompson was the mother of six children, three of whom preceded her in death. She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lou Ragan of Peoria and Mrs. Daniel Lucas of Moline, and one son Charles Thompson of this city. She is also survived by one brother, James Chittick of McCook, Neb., and one sister, Mrs. Charles Proster of Virginia. For fifty years Mrs. Thompson made her home in Virginia and two years ago came to this city to make her home with her son.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

**A COMPLETE BANK**  
General Banking Business.  
Three per cent on Savings Deposits.  
Trust Department.  
Safety Deposit Boxes.  
**THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY.**

### WITH SICK PEOPLE.

Miss Edith Todd of Park Place is quite sick with the prevailing tonsillitis.

Mrs. Howard Christensen of Allen avenue was taken yesterday to Our Savior's hospital suffering with a severe attack of pneumonia and her recovery is regarded as quite doubtful. She left two children at home sick.

C. L. Mathis who is in style with an attack of tonsillitis was able to get down to the store a little while but had to go home in a short time.

W. D. Cody who has been ill at his home on West North street for several days is improving and hopes to be at his place of business Monday.

T. P. Laning, who has been ill for a number of days is improving gradually.

## FUNERALS

### Frisky.

The funeral of Henry Frisky was held Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of his daughter, Mrs. A. J. Jones, 636 S. Fayette street. Services were conducted by Rev. G. T. Shaw assisted by Rev. H. H. Dewitt. Music was furnished by choir consisting of Mrs. E. D. Hayden, Miss Blanch Oliver, Miss Mamie Shu, Miss Clara Davis, Miss Stella Hayden, Wath Williams. The bearers were James Mathews, C. W. Frisky, Joseph Raymond, Albert Fountain, Daniel Frisky, James R. Scott. Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery. The flowers were many and beautiful, consisting of pillow design by C. G. M. of Knights Tabor, Immaculate No. 1, Rising Sun Temple No. 14; Golden Wreath Tabernacle No. 5, Pride of Egypt No. 8, Advance Tabernacle No. 87 of Cairo, Ill.; "Gates A-Jar" Hicklin Tabernacle No. 10; pillow of carnations, roses and hyacinths, family; spray of roses, Mr. and Mrs. E. Moore; spray of hyacinths and roses, Harry Norris and Earl W. Henderson; spray of red roses, Mr. and Mrs. Gillman; spray of pink carnations, Mrs. F. Cowans; spray of red roses and hyacinth, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. King; spray of carnations, Mr. and Mrs. S. Johnson; spray of carnations Miss Bessie Johnson; sheath of wheat and carnations, Mr. and Mrs. Columbus Jones, East St. Louis; spray of hyacinth and lilies, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Scott and daughters; spray of carnations and hyacinth, Sir Knights; spray of white carnations, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Hayden; spray of white lilies, Mrs. Hogan and daughters; spray of carnations, Hercules Tent; spray of hyacinth and roses, Golden Scepter Temple.

Those attending from out of the city were L. F. Finny, C. G. M. Knights and daughters of Cairo; Mrs. Theo. Williams, St. Louis, sister; Mrs. Mami Oggs, St. Louis.

### DeFrates.

The funeral of John DeFrates was held from the undertaking parlors of W. W. Gilham Wednesday morning at 10:30 and interment was made in Jacksonville cemetery. The service was in charge of the Rev. Walter E. Spooner, pastor of Northminster church and music was furnished by Miss Jane Scott and Mrs. Jennie DeFrates.

Bad weather will be here before you know it—how about shoes, rubbers and overshoes, for the children? Best qualities and lowest prices here. Frost & Nolley.

### IN BUSINESS 55 YEARS.

Just forty years ago today S. Cafky embarked in business in Jacksonville. Previously to coming here he was in business in Alton, Ill., for 15 years, which makes his commercial life total 55 years. Mr. Cafky was located for a great many years where the Adams express company office is, but since the erection of the Scott building he has been there.

## MEETS INSTANT DEATH BENEATH CAR WHEELS

FRED STEVENS KILLED AT HOME IN ROODHOUSE.

Employee of Alton Railroad Was Repairing Car When Fatal Accident Happened—Was Former Resident of Murrayville.

Fred Stevens, who is employed as a car repairer for the Chicago & Alton railroad, met instant death Wednesday afternoon, at Roodhouse, while repairing a car. He was busy at work beneath the car on the side track, when a train backed in on the siding, the engine and four cars passing over the body, mutilating it so that recognition was scarcely possible.

Mr. Stevens was born in Greene county, 27 years ago, the son of Marion and Julia Henry Stevens. For a great many years the family resided in Murrayville. On September 14, 1912 he married Miss Bessie Stone of Carrollton and she survives him. He also leaves his father, Marion Stevens of Jacksonville, three sisters, Mrs. W. N. Mitchell, of White Hall; Mrs. Stephen Linker, of Greenfield; and Mrs. Oliver Mayberry of Athensville and one brother, E. G. Stevens, superintendent of the public schools of Mackinaw, Ill. A coroner's inquest will be held today and it is probable that the remains will be brought to Nortonville and that funeral services will be held from the Youngblood Baptist church.

### ELLIOTT STATE BANK

**SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.**  
Interest allowed on Savings. Deposits at rate of 3 per cent per annum. Savings Deposits received on or before JANUARY 10th will bear interest from the FIRST of the month.

### FUNERAL NOTICE.

The remains of Mrs. Della Grassly are expected to arrive this morning over the Wabash from Chicago at 7:00. They will be taken to the residence of Mrs. William Luken, 845 South East street, from where funeral will be held at 2:30, in charge of the Rev. W. L. Dorgan. Interment will be made in East cemetery.

**JOIN THE CHRISTMAS CLUB NOW FORMING THE AYERS NATIONAL BANK**

### BANK DECLARES DIVIDEND.

The directors of the Ayers National bank held a meeting recently and declared a dividend of four per cent on the capital stock, payable January second.

If you have delayed buying your winter overcoat or winter wearables you must have them now---the cold winter blasts make it a necessity for your health and absolute economy. Here's a big showing of splendid warm shawl or ulster collar overcoats at

**\$15.00**

Values that you'll be glad to look at



## Sweater Coats

Heavy shaker knit for all uses, Byron and shawl collar, all colors. For boys men and women.

**\$1 to 7.50**



**MYERS BROTHERS**

In taking account of our assets, as is our custom at the beginning of the New Year, we find and appreciate your confidence and good will.

We hope for a continuance of the friendship which has marked our business relations and wish you a most happy and prosperous 1914.

**ANDRE & ANDRE**

The Store of Today and Tomorrow

**Taylor's Grocery**

WILL BE

A GOOD PLACE TO TRADE

EVERY DAY

OF

**1914**

The Season's Greetings to All Our Friends

Shoes for every member of the family should bear the Frost & Nolley stamp if you are to get the best in wear and style.

### NORTH END CIRCLE MEETS.

The North End Circle met with Mrs. Joseph L. Smith at her residence on North Fayette street Wednesday afternoon with all members being present. Mrs. Herman Opperman was taken into membership and the program was in charge of Mrs. Ralph Frost, and was made of Milton's works. Mrs. J. T. Smith gave Milton's "Paradise Lost" and Mrs. Veerlin Daniels gave "Paradise Regained." A poem entitled "Adam to Eve," was given by Mrs. Daniels. After the program a social hour was enjoyed when refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. A. F. Franks on January 14.



# For the Good Year 1914

We extend to every resident of Jacksonville and Morgan county our hearty good wishes for their happiness and prosperity during the year now commencing.

## LUKEMAN BROS

West Side Square. Retailers of the Finest of Clothing Ready to Wear

# Double Stamps This Week

We are going to give double stamps this week on all cash purchases. Don't fail to ask for them and save them; they will spend the same money. We are the only clothing store giving S. & H. green stamps.

## LUKEMAN BROS

### 1913 DULLEST YEAR IN A DECADE IN STREET

SHOWS DECREASE OF 44,700,000 SHARES IN STOCK SALES.

Transactions in Bonds Fall Off \$170,000,000—Less Than Half of 1912, when stock and bond sales on the stock exchange aggregated \$330,735,700 and \$672,000,000 respectively, this year shows a decrease in stock sales of 44,700,000 shares and bonds of \$170,000,000.

New York, Dec. 31.—The year 1913 will be long remembered in Wall street as one of the dullest in almost a decade. Compared with 1912, when stock and bond sales on the stock exchange aggregated \$330,735,700 and \$672,000,000 respectively, this year shows a decrease in stock sales of 44,700,000 shares and bonds of \$170,000,000. The recent spurt of activity at a higher price level, together with an increased demand for bonds and other investment issues, has, however, given rise to a hope among bankers and brokers that a recovery is underway. Of the 1,100 members of the stock exchange it is estimated that less than half are now actively engaged in the market, and probably one fifth of the whole may be classed as "traders"—brokers who buy or sell almost exclusively for their own account. The balance of the active membership consists of commission houses, many of which used to have extensive out of town connections, with which they kept in touch by private telegraph and telephone wires. These accessories whose maintenance involved heavy financial outlay have been quite generally abandoned, as have also many of the branch offices formerly maintained in uptown New York and in adjacent cities. Not only have many commission houses failed to make expenses during the year but a substantial percentage of the trading element frequently found itself whipped-sawed whether on the long or short side, by reason of the market's narrow character.

The year has witnessed many withdrawals "from the street" by individuals and firms, although these have been less numerous than expected a few weeks ago. Among the firms which wound up their affairs with the end of the year were two of the highest standing not only as brokers but in the foreign exchange and commercial paper fields as well. Several Philadelphia and Baltimore brokerage firms which for years held close relations with this center also announced their retirement. Of the so-called market leaders or speculative favorites which number scarcely more than a half dozen only Reading was to day on a parity with its price of year ago.

**NEW YEARS GREETING.** Many of our customers have been very prompt in settling their accounts so as to be paid up by January 1, 1914 and we thank them for their custom. Still we have a good balance to collect. If you are one that owes this establishment, please favor us with the prompt settlement. All bills now due and itemized account ready.

Herman Weber & Sons.

Hoarseness in a child that is subject to croup is a sure sign of an approaching attack. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

### BIG RALLY OF STUDENT VOLUNTEERS HOW BEING HELD IN KANSAS CITY

Seventh International Convention Attracts Many Delegates to the Western City—John R. Mott One of the Foremost Workers.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 31.—The greatest gathering of Christian students in the history of the world began in Kansas City today and will continue until the end of the week. The occasion is the seventh international convention of the "Student Volunteer Movement," which represents a world wide constituency of missionary students and workers. The chief object of the movement is to secure trained college men and women to volunteer for foreign missionary service in a campaign to Christianize the world. The size and representative character of the present gathering exceeds the most sanguine expectations of its promoters. Up to noon today more than 3,000 delegates had registered. Among them they represented hundreds of institutions of learning throughout the United States and Canada, as well as a number of foreign countries. Heading the foreign delegates were several scores of Chinese students. Many colleges and universities in the east, the south and the west have sent delegates of from fifty to one hundred members each. For the entertainment of the vast army of visitors hundreds of homes in Kansas City have been thrown open. Many of the student delegations are accompanied by members of the college faculties. Foreign missionaries from many parts of the world also are among the visitors.

This afternoon the convention met to organize and to listen to addresses of welcome delivered in behalf of the city and local churches and religious organizations. John R. Mott, the chairman of the executive committee of the movement, occupied the chair. Surrounding him on the platform were many men and women of wide reputation as educators, missionaries and leaders in religious movements.

Each day during the convention there will be special services in numerous churches, in addition to the regular sessions of the convention. The latter will be presented with numerous interesting reports from committees appointed at the last convention of the movement held in Rochester four years ago. Missionaries returned from foreign lands will tell of their work and of the needs of the countries with which they are particularly acquainted. Daily sermons are to be preached by noted divines who are among the delegates and visitors. Other sessions and side conferences will be devoted to the consideration of the present day social, religious, industrial and educational problems. In these discussions many men and women of prominence will take part.

The Student Volunteer is a unique movement. It had its inception some years ago in a visitation to schools and colleges of two or three colleagues with the missionary enthusiasm to arouse in the students a missionary interest and to enlist some of them for the work.

In more recent years it has developed into a great organization under the direction of Dr. John R. Mott, who only a short time ago declined the appointment of minister to China rather than to interrupt the great work he has undertaken. The organization maintains permanent headquarters in New York city. Half a dozen traveling secretaries, including three young women representing the three leading women's colleges of the United States, are actively employed in the movement.

All colleges and higher institutions of learning are periodically visited by these traveling secretaries to keep alive the mission ideal and procure the best class of students as volunteers to fill the ranks in the mission boards. Auxiliary societies are formed in these schools through which the chief workers are kept constantly in touch with the students.

These college societies have become largely the source of supply to the missionary organizations of the various seats of Christian fellowship. The Student Volunteer movement up to date has sent out nearly five thousand of its members to foreign fields. The movement is interdenominational and international. The women's colleges actively share in the work.

### SAVINGS ACCOUNTS

3 Per cent compounded Semi-annually.

Deposits made before Jan. 10 draw interest from Jan. 1. THE FARMERS STATE BANK AND TRUST COMPANY.

### KANSAS CITY MARKETS.

Kansas City Stock Yards, Dec. 29.—Snow in Colorado and short feed, brought in some range stockers and feeders last week which sold at \$5.90 to \$7.15. Winter weather is also driving in cattle from Kansas wheat fields, which makes feeders of stockers and feeders the last ten days larger than was expected. Prices were 10 to 25c lower last week, account of few buyers being here holiday week, but the advancing beef cattle market has had its effect, and prices are 10 to 25c higher, and on stockers and feeders today. Receipts are 10,000 today, beef cattle strong to 15c higher, and stock cattle and feeders selling actively at the advance noted on them. Eight thousand were shipped last week as compared with 4,800 same week last year. Apparently there is plenty of rough feed in the country and the demand is chiefly for stock grades. "I have plenty of cheap feed, part of which consists of silage, so I must have the cattle," said Mark Hicks of Greene county, Illinois, who bought a carload of good stock steers last week weighing 749 pounds. Bulk of stockers and feeders sell at \$6.25 to \$7.15. The latter price was paid for some choice New Mexico feeders last week and some extra choice thin cows and heifers sold at \$7.00 early last week. A feature today is the stock calf market, a quarter higher, some at \$8.25. The action of the beef cattle market today, making a good advance in the face of expected weakness, account of the torpid public appetite rendered so by Christmas turkey and its aftermath, lends color to predictions of higher beef cattle prices next month.

J. A. Rickart, Market Correspondent.

### BIDS FOR GENERATOR.

Sealed bids will be received by the city of Jacksonville, at the office of the commissioner of accounts and finance, at the city hall, until 10 a. m., January 5th, 1914, for one New Mexico feeders last week and some extra choice thin cows and heifers sold at \$7.00 early last week. A feature today is the stock calf market, a quarter higher, some at \$8.25. The action of the beef cattle market today, making a good advance in the face of expected weakness, account of the torpid public appetite rendered so by Christmas turkey and its aftermath, lends color to predictions of higher beef cattle prices next month.

Charles R. Knollenberg, Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

Dec. 22, 1913.

### Cure Your Cold While You Can.

More real danger lies in a cold than in any other of the minor ailments. The safe way is to take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and rid yourself of the cold as quickly as possible. For sale by all dealers.—Adv.

### MEXICO OWNED BY FOREIGNERS.

While the educated Mexicans have been busy making political speeches in high hats and frock coats, foreign capitalists, American and European, have quietly taken possession of their country.

Whatever the average Mexican does, he touches elbows with the capitalist foreigner. On a railroad journey he rides in an American train, hauled by American locomotives in charge of an American engineer. In every large town he rides in an American trolley car; if he can read, he does so frequently under electric lights or gas installed by foreign capital. The oil for his lamps and other purposes comes from his own country, but it is owned and pumped out by American or English enterprise. He deposits his money, when he has any, usually in banks which are owned by foreigners, particularly Frenchmen. When the Mexican senora goes shopping, she makes her purchases usually at a French department store. She buys her household goods in many cases from a grocery shop kept by a Spaniard. The head of the household, looking for strong drink, commonly resorts to a cantina managed by a Spaniard. The Mexican buys his hardware and his cutlery at shops controlled by Germans. Even the greatest source of the nation's wealth, the mines, have practically passed out of the hands of Mexicans. The Mexican miner of the present time is a man who works as a day laborer in mines or smelters controlled by foreigners. A recent exhibit shows that Mexicans own more than foreigners only in houses, lands and live stock, breweries and small retail stores. They also control the theatrical business—the American theatrical syndicate for some reason or other, not yet having invaded this particularly field.—The World's Work.

### BIDS FOR BOILER.

Sealed bids will be received by the city of Jacksonville, Ill., at the office of Commissioner of Accounts and Finance at City Hall, until 10 a. m., January 5th, A. D., 1914, for one Water Tube Boiler in accordance with specifications on file at the office of City Clerk.

All bids should be sealed and marked "Bids for Boiler" and addressed to the undersigned.

Charles R. Knollenberg, Commissioner of Accounts and Finance.

The city reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. Jacksonville, Ill., Dec. 22, 1913.

### ARKANSAS PUTS LID ON LIQUOR TRAFFIC.

Little Rock, Ark., Dec. 31.—The hardest blow ever dealt the liquor traffic in Arkansas becomes effective at midnight tonight, which is the time fixed for the coming into operation of the Gering law, which was enacted by the last legislature. The law requires a petition signed by the majority of the white adults of a community before a license can be issued to conduct a saloon. It is believed that virtual prohibition throughout the state will result from the operation of the law.

### TO MY FRIENDS ON RURAL ROUTE 7.

During the year just closed you have all been very kind to me and have shown me your good will in many pleasant and sometimes substantial ways and for all this I thank you sincerely and shall try very hard to serve you better than ever in the future, wishing all a Happy New Year. I am yours truly,

E. Elmore, Rural Carrier, No. 7

### THE NEW MARRIAGE LAW IN THE STATE OF WISCONSIN

Purpose of Measure Is to Prevent Marriage of Persons who are Diseased—Examination Fee's Not Large Enough to Meet Approval of Physicians.

At the last session of the Wisconsin legislature an amendment to the marriage law of the state was adopted, providing that all male persons making application for a license to marry shall within fifteen days prior to such application be examined as to the existence or non-existence of any venereal diseases. It is further required that the certificate of the physician making the examination shall show "that such person is free from acquired venereal diseases as nearly as can be determined by physical examination and by the application of the recognized clinical and laboratory tests of scientific search." It also provides that physicians making such examinations shall be duly licensed to practice and shall be of a good moral character and scientific attainments and not less than thirty years of age. For the examination and certificate the physician is to be paid a fee by the applicant not to exceed \$3. If the applicant is indigent, the examination may be made by the county physician without charge. The law further provides that "any physician who shall knowingly and willfully make any false statements in the certificate . . . shall be guilty of perjury . . . and a conviction under this subsection shall revoke the license of such a physician to practice in this state." Physicians are thus expected to furnish certificates, knowing that any false statement therein will put in jeopardy their right to practice medicine and to earn a professional income in the state.

The physicians of the state were active in securing the adoption of this law. It is safe to say that 95 per cent of the medical profession of Wisconsin are in favor of the principle of the legal restriction of marriage to those who are physically fit to enter into such a contract. Nevertheless, strenuous opposition has arisen against the enforcement of the law among members of the medical profession. The Milwaukee Medical society has taken a definite stand against it and its members have been quoted as saying that they will refuse to furnish certificates. Unfortunately, the first statement which appeared was simply that physicians objected because the fee of \$3 was not satisfactory. Newspapers throughout the state have consequently described the situation as a "strike of physicians" for higher compensation.

When the situation is understood, says the Journal of the American Medical Association, it is seen to be entirely different from that presented by this statement. The law requires that physicians making such examination would involve not only a physical examination of the applicant but also a microscopic examination for the detection of gonorrhea and a Wassermann test for syphilis. The making of these examinations requires an elaborate laboratory equipment so expensive that few physicians possess it. The customary fee for a Wassermann test alone is from \$10 to \$25. Even the large commercial laboratories specially equipped for such work had making many such examinations daily charge a fee of \$5. Certainly this amount must be recognized as the smallest sum for which such an examination can fairly be made. A conscientious examination for the detection of gonorrhea should also entitle the examiner to an adequate fee. Yet his law provides that physicians shall make both of these examinations as well as a physical examination for \$3. It places on the

medical profession the financial burden of enforcing a law made solely for the public good.

Physicians are required to furnish certificates and if such certificates are inaccurate, the physician's professional standing is forfeited. It is highly desirable that unfit persons or persons with communicable diseases should be debarred from marriage. Such laws are for the public good and the state should provide for their enforcement at the expense of the entire public and not at the expense of a small portion of it. If the state, for the benefit of society and future generations, sees fit to require an expensive examination as a condition for marriage, then the state should provide the means and the men by which such an examination shall be made.

### CIRCUIT COURT NEWS.

Law.

George F. Covey vs. Ada Long, Augustus and Mattie Abbott, trustees. Suit dismissed by plaintiff. J. J. Sheppard vs. C. & A. R. R. Co., case. Suit dismissed by plaintiff. Case.

Chancery. Sarah Heppard vs. Hugh Sheppard, divorce. Suit dismissed by complainant.

Richard Donaldson vs. Abarilla McCuen, et al. bill. Rule on complainant to complete evidence in by Jan. 6, and defendants evidence by Jan. 20. Complainants to conclude rebuttal by Jan. 8.

### AN ORDINANCE.

The following is the anti-liquor ordinance which the city council adopted Monday:

"Be it ordained by the city council of the city of Jacksonville

"Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any express company, railway company or other common carrier or for any person to bring into or to deliver to any person within the city of Jacksonville any intoxicating liquors.

"Sec. 2. Any express company, railway company or other common carrier or any person violating any of the provisions of section 1 of this ordinance shall forfeit and pay to the city of Jacksonville as a penalty the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00) for each and every such violation."

Passed at a regular meeting of the city council, Monday Dec. 1, 1913. George W. Davis, Mayor.

Attest: R. L. Pyatt, city clerk.

### NEW YORK'S

"JUVENILE DEMOCRACY."

New York, Dec. 31.—The most unique election in the history of New York will be held tomorrow, when 40,000 or more children of the lower East Side will vote in the first primary election of a "juvenile democracy." The movement has been organized by the East Side Protective association with a view to giving the future citizens a practical training in self government and politics. The polling places will be at the public schools, and assemblymen, congressmen, mayors and heads of municipal departments will be nominated. The general election will be held on Lincoln's birthday, when candidates leading in the primary will be voted on. The original idea was to limit the voting rights to the boys. The announcement to this effect, however, brought forth a vigorous protest from the girls, with the result that a proclamation granting equal suffrage was promptly issued.

### SALEM CHURCH TODAY.

Salem Evangelical Lutheran church, Rev. J. G. Kuppler, pastor. New Year's day services. Sermon, 10 a. m., English, 7:30 p. m. All are welcome.

### TO ADMIT FOREIGN POTATOES FROM DISEASE-FREE DISTRICTS

Temporary Quarantine Against Powdery Scab Extended to Include New Countries in Europe and the Dominion of Canada.

Washington, Dec. 31.—The secretary of agriculture today issued two orders relating to the admission of foreign potatoes into the United States.

One of these orders provides for the admission of disease-free potatoes from uninfected foreign districts under proper regulation and inspection.

The other order, to protect American potatoes from the powdery scab and other diseases, temporarily extends the quarantine effective since September 20, 1912, against the importation of potatoes from Newfoundland, the islands of St. Pierre and Miquelon, Great Britain, including England, Scotland, Wales and Ireland; Germany, and Austria-Hungary. It includes also the rest of continental Europe and the Dominion of Canada. This quarantine will become effective on December 1, 1913, except that shipments covered by consular invoices issued on or prior to December 24, 1913, will be admitted up to January 15, 1914.

As soon as any country or district can be shown to be free from potato diseases, the quarantine will be lifted and potatoes will be admitted under proper regulation and inspection, as provided in the other order. It is possible that in the case of certain provinces in Canada and certain districts in Europe, the absolute quarantine can be lifted in time to allow the later movement of the present year's crop under regulation and inspection.

### STUDYING THE KINDERGARTEN.

The kindergarten—its place in the educational system, its social value to the community and its future development—is the subject of special study by a newly organized division of the United States bureau of education. The new division, which is made possible for a co-operative arrangement between the National kindergarten association and the government, is directed by Miss Bessie Locke, secretary of the association, with headquarters in New York city. Miss Myra Winchester has been placed in charge of the work in the bureau.

The first published work of the division, which will be ready in a few weeks, is a report on present kindergarten conditions in the United States. The report will include statistics of public and private kindergartens for the past year; opinions of school superintendents, supervisors and primary teachers as to the advantage possessed by the kindergarten trained child over the child without such training, and other material dealing with current school problems as affected by the kindergarten.

Most of the opinions so far received by the division show an overwhelming sentiment in favor of kindergarten training for all public school children. There are occasional adverse criticisms, but they are surprisingly few. In the published report representative views opposed to the kindergarten will be given, as well as those favorable. Particular attention will be paid to the Montessori work and its relation to the kindergarten.

### NEW YEAR'S MEETING.

The State Street Presbyterian church will hold its usual New Year's meeting at 8 o'clock this morning. There will be congregational singing and a short address by the pastor on a text appropriate for a new year ideal. Any who are interested in opening the new year in this way are cordially invited to attend this meeting.



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1 doz. Peas	1.15
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3 cans Kidney Beans	.25
3 cans Mustard Sardines	.25
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Sauer Kraut, per gal.	.30
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## SCHOOL FOR HOUSEKEEPERS AT ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY

Annual Two Weeks Course Will Be Offered in January—Themes Will Be Varied.

At the annual two weeks' course in agriculture the household science department of the University of Illinois offers work that will deal with many phases of home life. Besides the ordinary activities of the home it is planned to consider the health of the family, provision for beauty of surroundings, and wise administration in home nursing, home decoration, household management and care of children.

Under the general topic, "The House," there will be addresses and talks on "Home Life of the Children of the Bush," "The Illinois Way of Neighborhood Planning," "Good Taste in Furnishings," "Systems of Lighting for the Farm Home," and others of equal interest.

On the topic, "Food," there will be talks on "Food for the Sick," "Planning Meals," "Home Canning," "Farm Marketing," etc., etc.

On "Clothing" talks will be given on "Points in Dressmaking," "Home Millinery," "Choosing Material for Clothing," and "Good Taste in Dress."

On the topic, "Health," lectures will be given on "Home Care of the Sick," and "Health in the Home."

A cordial invitation to attend the school of housekeepers is extended to all women interested in the betterment of home life. There are no fees for these courses and there are no entrance requirements. All students who expect to attend any of the work offered in the school for housekeepers are expected to register.

Attention is called to the extension courses in cooking and sewing which are offered by the department beginning February 2, and continuing for four weeks. These are also free, have no prerequisites and are not for credit. Owing to the crowded conditions in the kitchens and sewing rooms, only a limited number can be received in these courses. Candidates will be assigned places in the order of their applications. Preference is given to non-residents of Champaign and Urbana.

The Young Woman's Christian Association of the University will assist strangers in finding rooming and boarding places is applicable, is made at the association house upon arrival in the Twin Cities. No reservations for rooming or boarding places will be made by mail. It is suggested that students go direct to the association house and determine where they are to room before coming to the woman's building.

Further information concerning the work of the school for housekeepers or the extension courses may be obtained by addressing Florence Harrison, Department of Household Science, Urbana, Ill.

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## NEW YEAR'S MUSINGS.

Another year will disappear. At the midnight hour, bidding adieu, herald the new Annual King in power.

Ideals anew, both high and true. We erect with care.

Though in sheer gloom yet we presume

Each to do his share.

We have good reason at this season To offer good cheer.

Beginning then to live as men Drawing all hearts near.

Forgetting strife that mars our life And like brothers dwell

Perfect union, close communion. When called none may tell

To penetrate the future fate Exceeds the most strong

It is with hope we stay afloat, Bowed ever along.

In the past year we all hold dear Its memories most sweet.

The future holds as it unfolds A life more complete.

M. L. Edson, Jacksonville, Ill.

HOLIDAY AT THE POSTOFFICE.  
New Year's day will be observed at Jacksonville at 11 a. m. There will be the general collection at 7 a. m. and the regular business collection at 9 a. m.

There will be one delivery of mail by business carriers at 9 a. m. Postoffice will be open for the delivery of mail from 9 to 10 a. m. Rural patrons can get their mail by calling at the rear stairway of the postoffice.

John J. Reeve, Postmaster.

## NEW UTILITIES ACT WILL KNOCK OUT RAILROAD PASSES

Best Legal Authorities Believe Statute Practically Says That All Service Must Be Paid for in Cash.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 31.—That railroad passes in Illinois are knocked out by the anti-pass provision of the new utilities commission act effective at midnight tonight is the interpretation placed upon the law by the best legal authorities who have studied the statute.

One section of the new utilities law states specifically that no public service corporation shall perform service for less than the regular rate and practically says that all service must be paid for in cash. Several railroads in the state have already issued notices that no more passes will be issued because of this section in the new law. Several members of the legislature in the city this week expressed the opinion that under the new law only employees of the railroads can obtain passes. It is believed that one of the first orders of the new utilities commission will be radically anti-pass, and that passes will be prohibited to all except railroad employees, not excepting the employees of the public utilities commission.

## ADVERTISED LETTERS.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the post office at Jacksonville, Ill., for the week ending Dec. 23, 1913.

Allen, Helen J.  
Bowman, Lloyd.  
Blake, John.  
Boyle, W. E.  
Burns, G. B.  
Brutes, Elmer.  
Cassell, J. H.  
Calhoun, Newton.  
Cockerham, A. C.  
Christenson, Annie.  
Christenson, L. A.  
DeSilva, Joseph.  
McDaniels, Miss.  
Desmond, Lydia.  
Dye, Geo. W.  
Dutton, Thurmon.  
Dawson, Bailey.  
Edenbrook, Nellie.  
Ellis, C. E.  
Engle, Teresa.  
Freeman, Della.  
Felton, Mary.  
Goveria, John.  
Goody, Hezekiah.  
Gillman, Chas.  
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Hughey, Curtis.  
Hull, H. M.  
Hooper, J. A.  
Hopper, Norza.  
Holderby, R. A.  
Johnson, Josia.  
James, Curtis L.  
Jasosche, Wm.  
Jackson, W. B.  
Kennedy, Art.  
Kennedy, J. D. A.  
Long, Jim.  
Lester, Chas.  
Lester, Wm.  
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Morgan, Walter.  
McHenry, Anna.  
Moore, D. H.  
Murphy, L. R.  
Malory, James E.  
Newton, Lawrence.  
Prieges, Hannah.  
Price, Joe.  
Perkins, Helen.  
Patton, T. W.  
Success Co.  
Stubbs, Helen.  
Stone, Myrtle.  
Stacy, Lucy.  
Tucker, Alice.  
Whnken, Walter.  
Parties calling for these letters must say "advertised" and pay one cent each postage due.  
J. J. Reeve, P. M.

## POINT.

Mrs. W. G. Richardson and daughter spent Christmas with relatives at Griggsville.

Mrs. Albert Scott is a patient at Passavant hospital in Jacksonville.

Misses Cora Meggison and Bessie Middleton are visiting friends at Carlville this week.

Mrs. Charles Gibbs, Sr., is visiting relatives near Mayesville, Mo.

Miss Esther Vasey of Sinclair is spending the Christmas holidays at her home in this vicinity.

Miss Jessie Daggett visited friends near Orleans last week.

I. Richardson and son, Harry, of Champaign are visiting relatives in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Charles Smith, daughter Pauline, and son, Howard, spent several days last week with relatives near Woodson.

## A FAIR WARNING

One That Should Be Heeded By Jacksonville Residents.

Frequently the first sign of kidney trouble is a slight ache or pain in the loins. Neglect of this warning makes the way easy for more serious troubles—dyspepsia, gravel, Bright's disease. 'Tis well to pay attention to the first sign. Weak kidneys generally grow weaker and delay is often dangerous. Residents of this locality place reliance in Doan's Kidney Pills. This tested remedy has been used in kidney trouble over 50 years—is recommended all over the civilized world. Read the following:

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#### OBITUARY

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2. Gen. E. M. Lee, civil war veteran and ex-governor of Wyoming territory; aged 77.  
2. James R. Keene, noted financier and jurist, in New York; aged 75.  
3. J. D. Davis, United States senator from Arkansas and former governor, at Little Rock; aged 61.  
5. Lewis Swift, noted astronomer, at Marathon, N. Y.; aged 83.  
17. Dr. Theobald S. C. Lowe, army aviator in the civil war and inventor, at Pasadena, Cal.; aged 81.  
E. Prestiss Bailey, editor on the Utica Observer for 60 years, at Utica; aged 73.  
18. Mrs. Julia C. R. Dorr, poet and author, at Rutland, Vt.; aged 87.

FEBRUARY.  
1. Dr. Theodor von Holleben, noted German diplomat, in Berlin; aged 74.  
8. John George Brown, noted painter of street boys, died in New York city; aged 81.  
15. Charles Major, author of many popular novels of old English life, including "When Knighthood Was in Flower," at Shelbyville, Ind.; aged 57.  
16. Gen. Stewart L. Woodford, soldier and diplomat, in New York city; aged 77.  
17. Joaquin Miller, the "poet of the Sierras," in the Piedmont Hills, California; aged 72.  
18. Gen. George Washington Custis Lee, eldest son of the late Gen. Robert E. Lee, at Rye, N. Y.; aged 80.  
22. Ye Ho Na La, Joaquin Miller, dowager of China, at Peking; aged 48.

MARCH.  
11. Dr. J. S. Billings, federal war veteran, author and librarian, in New York city; aged 74.  
22. Frank S. Black, ex-governor of New York and noted lawyer, in Troy; aged 60.  
25. Field Marshal Viscount Garnet Joseph Wolseley, famous British soldier, at Mentone, France; aged 80.  
31. John Pierpont Morgan, capitalist, in Rome; aged 75.

APRIL.  
12. John B. Henderson, former United States senator and author of the 13th amendment to the constitution, in Washington; aged 86.  
20. H. M. Flagler, capitalist and railway magnate, at West Palm Beach, Fla.; aged 83.  
26. Gen. James Heaton Baker, civil war soldier, editor and historian, at Manhattan, Minn.; aged 84.  
30. Lord Aschurst (Sir John Lubbock), distinguished British scholar and author, in London; aged 73.

JUNE.  
2. F. A. Ober, ornithologist and author, at Hackensack, N. J.; aged 65.  
Alfred Austin, poet laureate of England, at Ashford, England; aged 78.  
C. H. Cramp, noted shipbuilder, in Philadelphia; aged 83.  
8. Dr. C. A. Briggs, noted theologian, once tried for heresy, in New York city; aged 72.  
Dr. L. Forbes Winslow, noted English alienist, in London; aged 89.  
18. Thomas A. Janvier, journalist and author, in New York city; aged 64.

JULY.  
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7. Gen. E. Burd Grubb, civil war veteran and diplomat, at Kearny, N. J.; aged 71.  
10. Dr. Horace Jayne, noted biologist, at Wallingford, Pa.; aged 54.

AUGUST.  
4. George Hitchcock, noted American painter, on the island of Marken, Holland; aged 85.  
6. Robert C. Ogden, philanthropist, at Kennebunkport, Me.; aged 77.  
11. Gen. Edward F. Jones, civil war veteran, hero of the march through Baltimore April 19, 1861, and noted in politics and commerce, at Binghamton, N. Y.; aged 85.  
12. August Bebel, German socialist leader, at Zurich; aged 73.  
14. Rear Admiral Silas Casey, U. S. N., retired, veteran of the civil war, at Warm Springs, Va.; aged 72.  
20. Emile Ollivier, noted premier of France under Napoleon III, at Annecy, France; aged 89.

SEPTEMBER.  
6. Henry Menier, French chocolate manufacturer, noted for private explorations in the Arctic regions, in Paris; aged 80.  
7. George E. Baker, noted telegrapher in the field and at the White House under Gen. Grant, in Philadelphia; aged 65.  
10. William J. Gaynor, mayor of New York, died on board the Baltic at sea; aged 62.  
William J. Gaynor, 16. Louis Motow, new, 7 feet 9 inches tall, said to be the largest man living, at Hancock, Mich.; aged 30.  
25. Patrick Ford, editor of the Irish World, in Brooklyn; aged 76.

OCTOBER.  
Adolphus Busch, noted St. Louis brewer, at Langenschwalbach, Prussia; aged 81.  
11. Stanley Waterloo, journalist, in Chicago; aged 67.  
12. Timothy L. Woodruff, noted Republican leader, in New York; aged 53.  
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15. Mexican rebels (Constitutionalists) captured Juarez from the federalists.  
18. Mexican rebels captured Victoria, capital of Tamaulipas.  
25. Rebels under Gen. Villa defeated the federal forces in battle at Tierra Blanca, near Juarez; losses reported, 1,500 federalists and 500 rebels.  
27. Mexican rebels captured Mazatlan, on the west coast.

DECEMBER.  
9. Mexican congress annulled the October election and appointed Huerta provisional president pending a new election in June, 1914.  
10. Mexican congress authorized an interior loan of \$2,000,000 and voted extraordinary powers to Huerta.  
4000 rebels attacked Tampico.  
11. Fighting continued at Tampico. Foreign refugees were under protection of United States warships.



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was very much prized by the recipi-  
ents. At a late hour the guests de-  
parted wishing Mr. and Mrs. Barn-  
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Those present were Cloud Winter,  
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Mrs. J. H. Cain was a visitor in  
city recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lewis spent  
Christmas at the home of Mr. and  
Mrs. Fred Lewis.

Miss Mary and Aileen Wolf  
returned to their home in Peoria, af-  
ter spending the holidays with their  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Wolf.  
Olive Cain has gone to Minnesota  
on business.

Miss Catherine Cain is sick.  
Henry Wolf has been quite sick  
the past week, but is able again to  
attend school.

Among all the dinners given it is  
safe to say none were attended with  
greater pleasure than the one given  
by Isaac Watson and son, Charles,  
last Sunday. There was no especial  
attempt at show or style, but a  
downright good time. An elaborate  
dinner was served to about 30 and  
it did justice to the many good things  
at a late hour the guests departed  
wishing Mr. Watson and son many  
happy returns of the day. The fol-  
lowing families were present: C. E.  
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# WORLD'S LATEST FINANCIAL AND MARKET NEWS

## YEARS TRADING IN STOCKS ENDS WITH A QUIET SESSION

Day's News was Unimportant, Speculative Interest at Low Ebb So that Traders Were Content to Let Market Drift Idly.

NEW YORK, Dec. 31.—The year's trading on the stock exchange came to an end with a quiet, colorless session. The day's news was unimportant, speculative interest at low ebb and a holiday at hand, so that traders were content to permit the market to drift along idly. The uncertain movements of stocks recently and the absence of indications to-day of a definite trend caused speculators to be more reluctant to make fresh commitments at this time and in most cases price changes were only nominal.

In spite of the small demand for stocks, there was a good undertone. Early in the day quiet quotations rose moderately under the lead of Reading which gained a point despite the showing of a net decrease of \$835,000 in its November statement. New Haven, Lehigh Valley, Canadian Pacific and Norfolk & Western also developed strength. American Ice was bid up over two points owing to the increase in net profits of \$1,290,000 disclosed in the company's annual report. Texas company climbed six points on a continuation of the buying which has been sending up the price steadily in the last few days and rose to the best figure of two years.

Realizing sales later levelled down the market and in many cases the early gains were cancelled. Move-  
ments thereafter were unusually narrow except in a few unusually American Telephone was heavy. Final prices today showed general losses on the year. Reading alone of the speculative favorites held its own and in the other most active features were five to ten points lower than at the close of 1912.

The last day of the year brought not even the suggestion of a flurry in the money market. Call loans were renewed at six per cent reflecting the demand in connection with year end requirements but the rate thereafter fell off decidedly.

**New York Stock List—Last Sale.**  
Amal. Copper ..... 73½  
Amer. Beet Sugar ..... 22  
Amer. Cotton Oil ..... 30  
Amer. S. & R. ..... 110½  
Amer. T. & T. ..... 119  
Anaconda Mining Co. .... 35½  
Atchafalaya ..... 93½  
Atlantic Coast Line ..... 116  
Baltimore & Ohio ..... 92½  
Brooklyn Rapid Transit ..... 88  
Canadian Pacific ..... 206½  
Chesapeake & Ohio ..... 60  
Chicago & N. W. ..... 127½  
Chicago, M. & St. P. .... 100  
Colorado Fuel & Iron ..... 28  
Colorado & Southern ..... 26½  
Delaware & Hudson ..... 153  
Denver & Rio Grande ..... 18  
Erie ..... 28  
General Electric ..... 139½  
Great Northern pfd. .... 126½  
Great Northern Ore Cfs. .... 106½  
Illinois Central ..... 144  
Interborough-Met. pfd. .... 60½  
Inter Harvester ..... 101  
Louisville & Nashville ..... 133½  
Missouri Pacific ..... 24½  
Missouri, K. & T. .... 19½  
National Lead ..... 44  
New York Central ..... 92  
Norfolk & Western ..... 102½  
Northern Pacific ..... 109  
Pennsylvania ..... 109½  
People's Gas ..... 121½  
Pullman Palace Car ..... 151½  
Reading ..... 168½  
Rock Island Co. pfd. .... 134  
Rock Island Co. pfd. .... 134  
Southern Pacific ..... 23½  
Southern Railway ..... 155  
Union Pacific ..... 58½  
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Wabash ..... 2½  
Western Union ..... 57½  
New Haven ..... 76½

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### New York Grain Market

New York, Dec. 31.—Wheat spot firm No. 2 red 99c elevator domestic and 100c½ for export. No. 1 Northern Duluth 99c½ for export. Futures were quiet with a holiday trade but prices were firm covering and small receipts, closing 4½¢ higher. December 97c; May 98c; July 94c.  
Corn spot firm; new No. 3 yellow 71c½ to arrive.  
Oats—Spot quiet.

### New York Provision Market

New York, Dec. 31.—Butter steady; creamery firsts 28½¢; seconds 24¢; creamery held seconds 23½¢.  
Cheese firm unchanged.  
Eggs—Easier; fresh graded extra 35c; firsts 34c; second 32c; firsts 33c; firsts 32c; second 29c; lower grades 24c to 29c.  
Coffee—Spot steady. Rio No. 7, 9c; Santos No. 4, 11c; mild dull

Cordova 13¢ 16¢ nominal.  
Raw Sugar—Steady; Muscovado 26¢ 27c; centrifugal 31¢ 32c; molasses 23¢ 24c; refined unset-  
tled.  
**New York Money Market**  
New York, Dec. 31.—Call money strong 3½¢ per cent; ruling rate 6¢; closing bid 3½¢.  
Time loans steady; 60 and 90 days 4½¢; six months 4½¢ to 5¢.  
Mercantile paper 5½¢ to 6¢.  
Sterling exchange strong 60 days 48½¢; demand 48½¢.  
Commercial bills 48½¢.  
Bar silver 57c.

### St. Louis Livestock Market

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Receipts, 6,000.  
Market steady.  
Pigs and lights ..... \$6.50 @ 8.00  
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Good heavy ..... 7.10 @ 8.10

### CATTLE.

Receipts, 3,100.  
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Native beef steers ..... \$7.50 @ 9.75  
Cows and heifers ..... 4.25 @ 8.50  
Stockers and feeders ..... 5.00 @ 7.30

### SHEEP.

Native muttons ..... \$3.75 @ 5.35  
Lambs ..... 5.25 @ 8.25

### Peoria Grain Market

Peoria, Ill., Dec. 31.—Corn steady No. 3 yellow 63¢ 64¢; No. 4 yellow 57¢ 58¢; No. 3 mixed 61¢ 62¢; No. 4 mixed 36¢ 37¢; sample 41¢ 42¢.  
Oats—Unchanged.



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## DISTRIBUTION IS PROBLEM PRESENTING DIFFERENT VIEWS

Various Speakers Throw Light Upon Problem Which Has Much to Do With Living Cost.

At a recent meeting of the State Horticultural Society at the University of Illinois, some very definite views were expressed by various speakers on the important subject of the Problem of Distribution. Mr. W. S. Perrine of Centralia spoke as follows:

**From the Producer's Standpoint.**  
"The small grower needs and must have a co-operative organization if he is to live. With such an organization properly run, he could get twice or three times as much for his fruit as he does now. Its manager would keep in touch with the various markets and sell either to highest bidder at local shipping point, or to buyers on distant markets or send on consignment to responsible firms. The individual, even the large grower, does not and cannot know the general market conditions, and so cannot distribute the fruit properly."

"I am not one of those who believe that we can do away with the middle man entirely. It simply will never be done in any general way, at least not for some time. However, the number of middlemen should be cut down as much as possible."

"A co-operative producers' organization might sell to a co-operative consumers' organization. This would cut out the middlemen and would get the stuff from producer to consumer with the latest possible expense. This is possible. I should say, in a very limited way. It takes intelligent, honest people to form and operate successfully co-operative organizations, whether honest producers or consumers. There are a lot of people both producers and consumers who have not reached the degree of intelligence necessary for such co-operation."

**From the Consumer.**  
Mrs. Caroline A. Bley described what the Chicago Clean Food Club accomplished last year and what it is doing this year in the way of handling eggs for the consumer. Among other things she said:

"This year conditions are different than they were last; fewer eggs were stored and those that were stored seem to have gotten into the hands of speculators and extortionate prices were asked. For this reason the Chicago Clean Food Club started a boycott on storage eggs for which the farmers received about 18c per dozen in the spring and which were stored and insured for not more than 2c per dozen. With these facts in mind 32c per dozen retail seemed a fair price so that price was demanded by the club women. This action was enforced by nearly all the women's clubs in and around Chicago and the marked decrease in the consumption of eggs was soon felt by the trade and the price lowered."

The discussion in the newspapers has brought out the fact that usually six men handle eggs before they reach the city consumer; namely, the farmer, the country store keeper, the shipper, the commission men, the jobber, and the retail grocer. You see that the egg business is already highly specialized and the tendency is toward greater specialization.

**The Commission Man.**  
The commission man was represented by Mr. John Denny of S. Water street, Chicago. He said in part: "We have heard of all kinds of propositions to eliminate the waste, reduce the cost of distribution of fruit produced, so that the grower could realize more and the consumer buy cheaper. One of these propositions is that all the producers of this country be united together in one enormous organization, and the owners of the farms actually control everything. It would practically be a public institution, not exactly operated by the government, but by an immense number of people. An organization of this kind, first of all, would be unwieldy. I believe it is the experience of all of us that every public institution is operated more or less extravagantly, unsatisfactorily, and politics and favoritism would be bound to creep in."

"Another scheme that is being proposed is that the grower should go direct to the consumer in the cities, or in other words, start the whole thing over. For you to do this, any of you who have any crop of consequence would have several stenographers, and a large office force, and it would require all of your personal attention to the marketing of the crop, so that there would be little time left for you to devote to its production, and if this method was generally used, it would reduce the consumption of fruits and vegetables considerably. If you were supplying your city customer with apples or some other thing that was not an absolute necessity, they would expect to receive it on a certain date. For some reason you might be delayed in forwarding. They would not have a regular supply. If a consumer today goes to a retailer and asks for apples or other fruits, and the retailer has none in stock but gets them tomorrow or the next day, that sale has been lost and it is never recovered. The consumer does not go back the next day or the day after and buy twice as much, and by this manner of distribution that some are advocating, this would be the case, because it would not always be possible for you to keep your customers fully and evenly supplied."

**QUICK RELIEF FOR RHEUMATISM.**  
George W. Koon, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast." Sold by L. P. Alcott, druggist.—Adv.

## DOUBLE GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY IS CELEBRATED

Hundreds Gather to Pay Respects to Mr. and Mrs. John M. DePew and Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Putnam.

The double golden wedding celebration at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John M. DePew yesterday was truly a magnificent success. The guest list comprised people gray haired middle aged, youthful and infants and all day long the rooms of the spacious mansion rang with the merry laughter of the children of tender years and those of an older growth. There was no attempt at any formal exercises but all were bent on having a good time and most surely all succeeded. Music, games, romps, jokes and all that could go to make such an occasion were there in abundance and there seemed to be nothing lacking to make the enjoyment complete unless it was the absence of a few relatives and guests especially desired and who were kept away by unavoidable causes.

The article in the Journal had been widely copied by Bloomington, Chicago and St. Louis and many other papers and the event was known far and wide and it is needless to add that such a coincidence is very unusual.

The decorations of the home were gold and white and were the especial tasty handiwork of Mrs. Harry Belmont and Miss Pearl Jewsbury. The mistletoe and holly were sent by Miss Caroline Slaughter of Cullman, Alabama, a special friend of the families.

The dinner and supper were both simply superb and perfectly served. They were furnished by the ladies' aid societies of the Christian church. Mrs. Charles Graff in especial command and their work was faultless throughout. On the table were fifty candles lighted and placed in a circle and all else was in keeping.

The cakes were baked by Miss Elizabeth Mosely.

A happy feature of the day was the fact that the occasion enabled persons to greet each other after an absence of many years and in many cases the meetings were most delightful.

There was a host of beautiful and costly presents and without doubt the aged couples were fully convinced that they have a host of friends while two hundred telegrams and letters still further testified to the esteem in which the high contracting parties are held by many friends and loved ones.

Creed C. Brawner, an uncle of Mrs. DePew and brother of Mrs. Putnam was married seven years before the wedding of fifty years ago took place. He is living now with his aged wife in Denver and they were urged to be present but the bad storm out there made them afraid to venture so far from home.

At the time of the wedding, fifty years ago, Mr. DePew had three sisters and Mrs. DePew six brothers and sisters and all nine are yet alive. Another honored and welcome guest was J. Dickey Templeton of Bloomington, son of the minister who performed the double wedding ceremony fifty years ago.

As already stated, the affair took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John M. DePew, the other couple being Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Putnam of Riverton.

Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Putnam's daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Bell and son Luke.

Arranging the guests, as far as possible, according to relationship: C. L. DePew, son of John M. DePew, with his wife and daughter Marian, all of Jacksonville; Edward P. Brawner, brother of Mrs. DePew, Bolton, Mo.; Mrs. Nannie Orendorff, Mrs. DePew's sister, Delevan; Mrs. Orendorff's daughter, Mrs. Henry M. Wood, husband and daughters Camilla and Esther; Jennie Orendorff, Robert Orendorff, wife and son Norman Van; Frank Orendorff, all of Delevan; Mrs. DePew's sister, Mrs. Charles E. Schureman and husband, daughter Mildred and son Brawner, all of Green Valley, Ill.; Mrs. DePew's nephew, Fred Brawner, of Livingston, Montana; a dairyman who supplies the Yellowstone park hotels with milk, butter and cream; Mrs. Lucy McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Crain, Mr. and Mrs. Nellis Crain, Mrs. Julia McAllister, and granddaughters Hazel and Iva Green, Miss Addie Vasey, Mrs. Fanny McKean, Miss Mary Harrison, all of Woodson and related to Mrs. DePew; Mrs. DePew's cousin, Mrs. Mary Rose, son Charles R. and wife, children, Madeline, Chapman and Marian; Mr. and Mrs. P. Rose and daughter Esther, Edward Rose and son Ernest; Mrs. Rose's daughter, Mrs. J. E. Thompson and children Geraldine and Theodore, all of White Hall; Miss Elizabeth Strawn, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Strawn, son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Brown; the Strawns, Miss Mosely and Mrs. Brown are second cousins of Mrs. DePew and all of Jacksonville.

Friends of the family: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Enlow, Mason City; Mr. and Mrs. John Brooker, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis, Boardstown; Dr. and Mrs. Benjamin Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Paul B. Spooner, Palmyra; David AAllen, Sr.; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Price and daughter Harriet, all of Delevan; Miss Mary Hanford, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Woodrow, Mrs. Benjamin Trewbridge, all of Green Valley, Ill. From Jacksonville: Miss Theresa Prince of Grove street, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Watt, Herbert Henderson and daughter Edith, Dr. Elmer Harris, J. Philip Reid, J. L. Proffitt, J. A. Campbell, Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Hough, Rev. Clyde Dargis, wife and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Buffe, J. P. Shreve, Dr. J. E. Thompson of the Badger drug store. During the evening a quartet composed of Dr. Harris, Messrs. Campbell, Reid and Proffitt sang with great acceptance "Fifty Years Ago," "Silver Threads Among the Gold," "Old Kentucky Home," "Put on Your Old Grey Bonnet," "Old Oak on Buckett" and "Good Night." Among the writers of letters there were Harry Grey, Pasadena,

Calif.; Homer Tice, Greenville; J. C. Locher, Ferro Gordo, Ill.; N. J. Neer, Springfield; C. E. Weaver, Lincoln, Ill.; Bernard Wolters, Havana; Allen Bradley, Mason City; R. H. Cox, St. Louis; N. C. DePew, Cairo; Gillet & Sons, Lincoln; Leroy Martin, St. Louis; John R. Golden, AAngola, Ind.; J. H. Snyder, Mt. Pleasant; F. M. Polock, Bloomington; J. B. McChels, El Paso; F. H. Cheneveth, Charleston.

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Marie Bourn visited at the home of her brother, Vinton, last week.

Roy and Irene Mason spent a few days with their sister, Mrs. Thomas Strickler, during the holidays.

The community join in extending their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. William Sorrell in their sad bereavement.

William Sorrell is on the sick list at this writing.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock. Miss Emma Dods-worth, leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Carpenter, Arch Bridgesmen, Will and John Bourn, John Black and Frank Dods-worth were among those from this vicinity in Jacksonville Saturday.

Rev. Mr. McCarty preached a good sermon Sunday night, giving many good points found in Isaiah 62-10. Go through, go through the gates; prepare ye the way of the people, cast up, cast up the highway; gather out the stones; lift up a standard for the people.

Rev. E. Cusic will fill his regular appointment next Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

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**EAST UNION.**  
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Misses Iona Hawkins, Margaret Simmons, Amy Jones and Hazel Bridges spent Sunday with Miss Lena Martin.

George Jones and family spent Sunday with Arthur Spencer.

Fred Martin and family spent a few days last week with relatives here.

Mrs. Charles Curtis spent Christmas in St. Louis.

Nelson Mitchell and family spent Christmas with Jacob Oras of Alsey. Mrs. Jesse Belger and children, Herman Bowers and family spent Christmas with J. G. Garner and family.

Dorothy Bridges spent Sunday with Lena and Gladys Gaines.

Mrs. Lizzie Carter and Burley Martin are spending a few days with Henry Martin and family. Tom Spencer and son, John, and Mrs. Harry Gilmore and children ate Christmas dinner at Charles Carmine's.

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## NEW UTILITIES LAW WILL BECOME EFFECTIVE TODAY

Measure Confers Vast Authority to Board Appointed By the Governor

The new utility law will go into effect today. Some of the main points are indicated from the fact that the general powers of the commission give it authority to do the following things:

To require the filing of all rate and charge schedules.

To approve or fix rates from time to time not in excess of those in effect July 1, 1913.

To establish joint schedules between two utility companies.

To establish joint classification of rates.

To supervise and regulate the issue of stocks, bonds, etc.

To approve and register bond and stock issues.

To make physical valuation of properties.

To require a uniform system of keeping accounts.

To establish rules and regulations for adequate and secure service covering extensions and improvements health and safety of employees and abolishment of grade crossings.

To require the joint use of facilities, require interchange of traffic service, estimate of through routes, switching facilities, side track connections, physical connection of telephone or telegraph companies, and to establish rules for storage and icing, delivery or express or telephone or telegraph messages, and for weighing and standards of measurements.

Full power to initiate investigations and to have access to books, papers, and records of utilities is conferred to carry out the foregoing.

The utilities concern must: Comply with commission's orders and acknowledge same.

Have "just and reasonable" rates. Not charge more nor less than the published rates.

Not discriminate as to rates, service, localities or class of service. Supply physical connections.

Not grant privileges to any person, or persons (anti-pass).

File public reports.

Keep accounts within Illinois. Conform its depreciation account to a rate fixed by the commission.

Furnish all necessary information. The utility must not: Transfer or assign any franchise or permit without approval of the commission.

Add or increase to facilities without commission's approval.

Apply the proceeds of any bond or stock sale to any extension not specifically authorized by the commission.

The public may make proper complaint of any allegation of unfairness or discrimination and shall be entitled to a hearing. The utility may secure a hearing if it feels that its rights have not been respected.

Court review is provided for the orders of the commission, the court of original jurisdiction being the circuit court of Sangamon county.

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**SINCLAIR.**  
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N. T. Fox shipped one load of hogs Christmas day to Chicago.

Mrs. Vada Osborne of Jacksonville took dinner Christmas with her father, James Brown.

John Moore and family took dinner with N. B. Fox and wife Christmas.

The McNeal brothers left for their homes Saturday morning.

Mrs. Charles Spiker went to see Mrs. Nellie Turley of Franklin, who is quite low with dropsy and rheumatism.

Mrs. James A. Swain gave a Christmas dinner to all of her children.

A. A. McNeal gave a dinner to a few relatives Christmas.

**NO MORE RAILROAD PASSES IN ILLINOIS.**

Springfield, Dec. 31.—All of the railroads doing business in Illinois will tomorrow abolish the pass privilege, except as it applies to their employees. This is in compliance with a stringent provision in the new public utilities act. Another provision of the same act forbids individuals and corporations from attempting to secure service from the railroads at less than the scheduled rates.

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